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### FAIR VIEW.

The farmers are getting ready for spring work.

On account of sickness the school attendance is very small. There was no school for a few days, the teacher Miss Robinson, being ill with gripe. Some of the young people are suffering from scarlet fever.

Mrs. Frederick Fife and little daughter, Helen, and Miss Fife, of Ameliasburg, are visiting at their uncle's, E. S. Fife's.

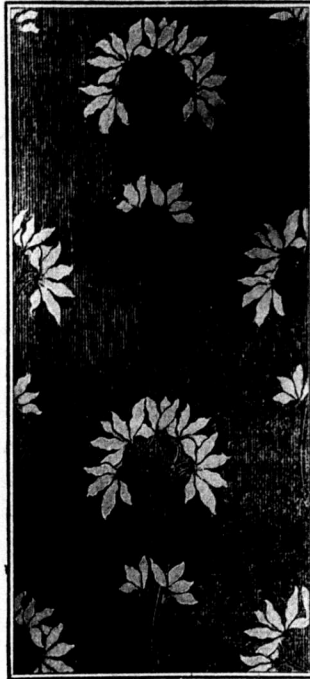
Frank McTaggart and family have removed to the house on the corner.

Miss Maggie Lowry is able to be up again.

Mr. Young is drawing hay to Napanee. Mr. and Mrs. George Boites and Mr. Loucks, Riverside, were recent visitors at Schnyler Loucks'.

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That Clara Crotox is engaged at last And to a count with a dreadful Past And not a penny to his titled name? (I dote on bridge; it's such a clever game Let's see—what's trumps?)

There's Catharine over there And entre nous, I hear she dyes her hair And paints—but I might, too, with such a face! (Oh, partner! did I really trump your ace?)

Who is that freak three tables to the right? I saw her at the Wilbur-Brownes last night; Some parvenue, no doubt, and goodness knows I think a blacksmith must design her clothes. (Are hearts or diamonds trump? Oh, that's a fact, It's clubs.)

Some girls are so devoid of taste; That Carlton creature in the last year's

## BOAT BUILDING.

Some of the New Boats which will make their appearance the coming season.

Mr. Arthur Chinneck has purchased from Mr. C. J. Clapp, Picton, a speedy 21 foot gasoline launch with canopy and complete fittings. Mr. Chinneck will bring his boat to Napanee as soon as the ice leaves the bay.

Mr. E. J. Roy will build another yacht to take the place of the one sold by him recently to Rev. J. DeP. Wright and others. Mr. Roy has not yet decided on the size or motive power to be used in the new boat.

Mr. Chas. A. Walters is building a twenty-foot gasoline launch, a fine roomy boat with torpedo stern and narrow bow with a four cylinder gasoline engine and reversing propeller which he purchased from Mr. F. F. Miller. This should prove one of the speediest crafts on the river.

Mr. F. S. Scott has the hull completed of a new gasoline launch 22 feet 6 inches long and 5 feet 10 inches wide. It is built of cedar up to the water line and pine above with oak keel. The decks coaming and interior woodwork will also be of oak. The boat will have a canopy at each end and a six foot cabin in the centre and will when completed, be a very handsome and handy yacht.

Mr. E. J. Roy has recently completed for Mr. Allan Wagar a fine 18 ft. launch built of oak and cedar, trimmed with oak, and nickel plated rails. The motive power is a three and a half horsepower "Ferro Gasoline Engine of which Mr. Roy has the sole agency for this district. Mr. Wagar's boat is very broad and should prove a splendid sea boat besides being fairly fast. A new idea and one being adopted by nearly all the new yachts, a flexible joint joining the engine and shaft has also been used by Mr. Roy in Mr. Wagar's boat. Mr. Roy is also the sole agent for this coupling.

### A Fine Yacht.

We notice that Mr. M. B. Mills has made great progress in building his new sailing yacht, "The Dolphin," having the woodwork nearly completed. Mr. Mills and his son George, have been working all through the winter and the class of work done reflects credit on their workmanship. The model and plans are entirely Mr. Mills' creation, and his long experience in boat building has enabled him to produce what appears to us, the most thorough and complete cruiser to be found in these waters. The hull is built entirely of best white oak, excepting the top-side, which are of selected white pine. All the planking is long and there are no butts under. The decks are of pine 1 1/2 inches thick and two inches wide and will be left without paint or varnish. The interior is finished in clear buttnerut, narrow strips, and panel work. The cabin contains clothes presses, a main saloon with full length mirror, a ladies' dressing room, with bevelled mirror, and lavatory, a unique gallery where the stove, dishes, sink and cooking utensils have each a place. The cabin has plenty of head room, so that a tall

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again.  
Mr. Young is drawing hay to Napanee. Mr. and Mrs. George Bockes and Mr. Loucks, Riverside, were recent visitors at Schuyler Loucks'.

For horses use Milling's Improved Compound Iron Powders freshly prepared at The Medical Hall—Fred L. Hooper.

### ENGLISH RED TAPE.

War Office Methods and the Test of a Mountain Gun.

The story that a gun of marvelous possibilities invented in England may be sold abroad owing to the apathy of the powers that be is not altogether surprising.

Whitworth refused Napoleon III's offer of \$50,000 a year for life to go to Paris and manufacture his cannon for the French army, but perhaps our war office was not so faddy then as now.

Some little time ago a new gun for hill fighting was offered and was sent out to India to be tried. It was dragged up steep hills, rushed down rocky defiles, left for a week at a time in mountain torrents—in fact, submitted to all the tests which a veteran officer accustomed to war with the hill tribes could suggest.

The report was satisfactory in every respect, but a war office genius blandly asked if the gun had been dropped down a precipice. It had not.

The war office was horrified and amazed at the neglect of so elementary a test. The gun was now dropped down a precipice with the inevitable result—its internals were irremediably damaged.

How was it possible, the war office asked, to accept such a weapon? And the army of India was left to potter along with obsolete weapons because this new arm would not stand impossible tests.—London Sketch.

### AWAY BELOW ZERO.

The Awful Cold That Comes With Eighty Degrees of Frost.

It is difficult to form any conception of the degree of cold represented by 80 degrees of frost that at times prevails in certain parts of Russia. Sir Leopold McClintock tells us how in one of his arctic expeditions a sailor was foolish enough to do some outdoor work at precisely this temperature. His hands froze, and when he rushed into the cabin and plunged one of them into a basin of water so cold was the hand that the water was instantly converted into a block of ice.

At 25 degrees, Dr. Kane says, "the mustache and underlip form pendulous beads of dangling ice. Put out your tongue, and it instantly freezes to this icy crust. Your chin has a trick of freezing to your upper jaw by the happy aid of your beard. My eyes have often been so glued as to show that even a wink was unsafe."

During a theatrical performance given by the crew of his ship at an inside temperature of 30 degrees "the condensation was so excessive that we could barely see the performers. Their hands steamed. When an excited Thespian took off his coat it smoked like a dish of potatoes. Any extra vehemence of delivery was accompanied by volumes of smoke."

### An Embarrassing Explanation.

"Why do you charge me 25 cents when your sign says, 'First class hair cut, 15 cents?'" demanded the indignant customer. The small French barber shrugged his shoulders and lifted his eyebrows.

"Pardon, monsieur," he returned softly, "but it is not all who come to me that have the first class hair."

ness knows

I think a blacksmith must design her clothes.

(Are hearts or diamonds trumps? Oh, that's a fact, It's clubs.)

Some girls are so devoid of taste; That Carlton creature in the last year's hat

Just makes me mad as mad—she's such a cat,

And nearly snaps your head off if you don't

Keep absolutely dumb;—of course, I won't.

Oh, girls, Jack's so devoted it's a joke, He's quite my shadow.—What! did I revoke?

Well, anyway, I think it's mean to take

Three tricks from me for just that small mistake.

Bridge bores me frightfully, I'm bound to say.

Though Jack says it's astounding how I play.

Why will some hostesses invite such frumps?

Oh, dear!—my lead again?—Let's see—what's trumps?

### MORVEN

Those on the sick list are E. M. Smith, William Sweet and Rev. Mr. Horton.

The Union cheese factory has changed hands twice. First, Mr. Sheffield sold it to a joint stock company and then it was re-sold to F. A. Perry, who has become sole proprietor.

There will be several barns reared in this neighborhood this spring.

C. Smith spent Sunday at home from Queen's.

Manson Smith, of the G.T.R., Brockville, spent a day with his mother, Mrs. D. R. Hicks, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Damon Garrison, of Napanee, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Uager

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### NEWBURGH.

Divine service was conducted and holy communion celebrated last Sunday morning in St. John's church by Canon G. Lothrop Starr, of St. George's cathedral, Kingston. Speaking from Ezekiel xviii 31, "Make you a new heart and a new spirit." Canon Starr presented the Lenten season as a most opportune time to cultivate the spiritual life in preparations for the Christian warfare. He emphasized the value of enthusiasm in the Christian life and instanced as notable examples for emulation the vision of St. Patrick and the self-sacrifice of St. Benedict. The service was profitable and inspiring.

Lewis Innes, who is to conduct the cheese factory here for Mr. Cleall this season, is this week removing his family from Selby to the house formerly occupied by the late E. N. Huyck.

Dr. H. A. McKim, Port Rowan, paid his mother and sister a flying visit on Sunday. His many friends were glad to see him again.

Mrs. Rev. J. Mears, Napanee, visiting friends for a few days, assisted the Methodist church choir on Sunday night, and rendered a solo very sweetly at the offertory.

"Bob" Shorts left on Saturday for Rochester, at which place or in Cleveland he will locate for the summer.

Miss Gandier returned on Saturday with her brother, E. Gandier, from Toronto, where she had spent some weeks with her sister, Mrs. (Principal) Falconer, of Toronto University.

Miss Ballance, Strathcona, visited Miss Q. McKim this week.

Miss Lena Madden left on Monday for a week's visit in Toronto with Miss Madden Thomson.

Benjamin Farley is visiting friends in Deeronto this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Ryan are in Toronto, where they are incidentally attending the automobile show.

Two new telephones have recently been installed one in T. I. Winters residence and another in Ryan's new store.

is finished in clear butter, narrow strips, and panel work. The cabin contains clothes presses, a main saloon with full length mirror, a ladies' dressing room, with bevelled mirror, and lavatory, a unique gallery where the stove, dishes, sink and cooking utensils have each a place. The cabin has plenty of head room, so that a tall person can stand upright anywhere, and a feature not found in many boats is the centre board, which is entirely under the cabin floor, in a recess left for it in the oak and iron keel. The forecabin contains a large refrigerator, a provision cupboard, a locker for oil lamps, also a number of lockers and folding cots for the crew. The cockpit is very roomy and is self bailing, with plenty of space under the floor for storage &c. All the sails and iron work used in the boat is galvanized to prevent rusting. The massive iron keel weighing over 2500lbs was cast at the Dominion Rock drill foundry, and does away with the necessity of carrying a large quantity of ballast. Mr. Mills has spared no pains to make his boat first class in every respect and most seaworthy. Capt. Mills expects to have her launched and fitted out by the first of June, and with his son will spend the summer on her with pleasure parties who wish to engage her. A number of engagements have already been made and in a few weeks Mr. Mills expects to have the whole season filled.

### STRATHCONA.

School has been closed for some time: Miss Vanluven, of Napanee, having tendered her resignation, much to the regret of the community, as she is held in high esteem by her pupils.

Miss Blae entertained her young friends on Wednesday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ballance, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Pybus at W. J. Finlay's Friday evening.

Mrs. Ed. Look is visiting friends at Napanee.

Miss Lizzie Finlay is visiting at Canton, at Rev. F. A. Hoar's.

Miss Eva Lott has recovered from her recent illness, and is able to drive out again.

Robert Shetler, who has been seriously ill, is recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Hudgins, of Richmond, on Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. George Paul, of Selby, at L. Ballance's on Sunday.

About 75 friends of Mr. George Madden, assembled at his father's home to bid him farewell, previous to his departure for the west. A few of the gentlemen gave short addresses during the evening, speaking of the esteem in which he was held by the whole community expressing much regret at losing such an amiable young man from our midst. The evening was spent in singing, music and games, and oysters were served abundantly.

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One of the requirements of the Education Department, is that a museum, consisting of specimens illustrative of the courses in science, should be established in every Collegiate Institute.

In order that the N. C. I. may be up to date in this matter the teachers and pupils have made a beginning, believing that there are many friends of the school who would be willing to assist by providing specimens from the locality, if the matter were brought to their attention.

Mr. Mills, the Taxidermist has kindly offered to prepare and mount specimens at a reduced rate for any who intend to present them to the school.

Mounted specimens of our common and game birds, our wild native mammals, common and game fishes, lizards, turtles, snakes, useful and injurious insects, or specimens of minerals or ores, all will be invaluable aids in nature study and science instruction.

The following contributions have been already received:

Collection of moths, butterflies, beetles, and other insects from Principal Flach.

American Goshawk—Edith Edwards.  
Herring Gull—Edith Edwards.  
Screech Owl—Libert Graham.  
Java Sparrow—Douglas Doller.  
Black Squirrel—Pupils of A. L.  
Purple Grackle—Pupils of A. L.  
Grey Squirrel—Pupils of B. L.  
Blue Jay—Pupils of C. L.  
Meadow Lark—Pupils of C. L.  
Mud Puppy—Jack Hetherington.  
Chameleon—Miles Miller.  
Collection of birds eggs from—  
Arthur Kimmerly, Harold Oldham.

## NEWS NOTES.

East Peterboro Liberals nominated Mr. Patrick McNulty for the Legislature.

Immigration from the United States promises to be larger this year than ever before.

A report comes from Barwick of a boy being eaten by wolves on his way home from school.

The by law to reduce the number of tavern licenses in Toronto was quashed by Chief Justice Meredith.

James Hartwick, charged with the murder of his wife, was found insane at the London Assizes, and will be sent to the asylum.

**Lax-ets 5 C Sweet to Eat**  
A Candy Bowl Laxative.

An Italian named Edrado was arrested at Montreal on a charge of sending threatening letters to Senator Forget demanding \$2,000.

The condition of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman is rapidly becoming worse, and it is not now expected that he can recover.

From present indications it will not be long before the factory of the Deseronto Furniture Company will be in active operation.

The Coroner's jury of Hamilton, returned a verdict of murder against Giuseppe Greco in connection with the death of Antonio Reiszio.

Alderman John Gaskin, of Kingston, died on Saturday evening last, after an illness of seven weeks, aged 68 years. The funeral took place on Tuesday.

John A. Aylesworth died at Catarqui on March 16th after a lingering illness of creeping paralysis. Deceased was born in Ernestown township, in the county of Lennox, on March 15th, 1868.

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The practice of enclosing fireworks and inflammable materials in mail matter has called forth a protest from the British general post-office and the Dominion government will prosecute the next case that occurs.

Indications point to an early spring throughout the Canadian west, with prospects of the crop being got into the ground in good shape during April, against last year's seeding during the last half of May. This grain of a month will mean a great deal, for it means harvest about August 10th to 15th.

With a bullet lodged in the back of his neck, and suffering great pain, Arthur Reilly, fifteen years of age, son of Arthur Reilly, Kingston, was removed to the Hotel Dieu, Tuesday afternoon, shortly after three o'clock. The lad was the victim of an accident, while he and two other companions were out shooting muskrats, in a marsh.

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**The County Council**

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**LAPUM.** Mrs. William Boulton gave a small party, on Saturday afternoon, in honor of her grandson, Erwell Boulton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sharpe, Violet, spent Thursday here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Rose.

Miss Florence Joyner spent a few days last week with friends in Colebrook.

A number here are making preparations to tap their sugar bushes.

B. Rose, William Lapum and Edwin Bell paid a visit, on Saturday, to the Limestone city.

Through an error we have been sent a quantity of Toilet Paper and rather than pay freight charges, we are in a position to give our customers 7 rolls good Toilet Paper for 25c at  
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7 Sutherland Sisters' Hair Grower	.50	.43
Wampole's Formolig		
Tooth Paste	.25	.15
Gin Pills	.50	.40
Scott's Emulsion	1.00	.85
Scott's Emulsion	.50	.43
Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound	1.00	.85
Shuttleworth's Wine of Cod Liver Oil with Iron and Creosote	1.00	.85
Polson's Nerviline	.25	.18
Thomas' Electric Oil	.25	.12
Fletcher's Castoria	.35	.25
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Peruna	1.00	.75
Dairy Butter Color	.15	.10
Butter Color (Wells & Richardson)	.15	.12
Fruitatives	.50	.39
Chase's Pills	.25	.15
Carter's Little Liver Pills	.25	.15
Douglas' Egyptian Liniment	.25	.18
Baby's Own Tablets	.25	.20
Hennequin's Tablets	.25	.20
Shilch's Consumption Cure	.25	.20
Dodd's Kidney Pills	.50	.35
Williams' Pink Pills	.50	.30
Zam-Buk	.50	.40
Hamilton's Mandrake and Butternut Pills	.25	.18

**T. B. WALLACE.**

removed to the Hotel Diehl, Tuesday afternoon, shortly after three o'clock. The lad was the victim of an accident, while he and two other companions were out shooting muskrats, in a marsh.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

### The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher.*

Lucy Lindie, a ten-year-old girl of Adamston, Renfrew county, saw what she supposed was some refuse on a floor at her home and seizing a broom she carefully swept it up and put it in the stove. The "refuse" proved to be some dynamite caps which her father had taken from a drawer a few minutes before with the intention of using them for blasting purposes. They exploded as soon as they were put in the stove and one of the flying fragments of iron from the shattered heater, struck little Lucy in the eye injuring the member so badly that the sight was completely destroyed.

The German medical world is aghast at the revelation made through an operation just performed at Herschberg by a Silesian surgeon upon a sixteen-year-old girl who was suffering from a strange internal growth. The opening of this growth revealed the presence of over three pounds of iron, consisting of 1,410 one-inch nails, 160 bent pins, 79 double-pointed needles, and seventy nail heads. For variety's sake there were four splinters of glass. The girl came out of the operation splendidly. No explanation has been published to show how it came about that this large stock of hardware got together in the young woman's interior and became encrusted there.

### PORT HOPE.

The Orange grand lodge of East Ontario elected the following officers, all except the auditors, by acclamation: Grand master, George Boyce, Merivale; deputy grand master, James Berney, Kingston; junior deputy grand master, Lieut.-Col. John Hughes, of Clarke; grand chaplain, Rev. R. H. Steacy, Bell's Corners; grand treasurer, Robert Gordon, Tweed; grand secretary, F. M. Clarke, Belleville; grand lecturer, James White, Madoc; grand director of ceremonies, F. W. Forde, Ottawa; auditors, J. M. Thompson, Kemptville, and W. C. Reid, Ottawa; deputy grand secretary, T. C. McConnell, Springbrook; Revs. R. H. Leach, Belleville; A. W. Brace, Peterboro; W. G. Swayne, Oxford Mills; S. A. Dupreau, Roseneath; R. B. Nelles, Port Hope; G. S. White, Napanee, and Edward Sanderson, Madoc, were also appointed deputy grand chaplains. The installation was conducted by P. G. M. Duncan Munroe, Cornwall. Next year's session will be held at Napanee.

## A Doctor's Statement

Baie St. Paul, C.C., Que.  
March 27th, 1907.

"Dr. T. A. Slocum, Limited,  
Toronto, Ont.

Gentlemen:—  
My many thanks for **Psychine** and **Oxomulsion**. I have used them with very great satisfaction both in my own case and in that of my friends. It affords me much pleasure to recommend a remedy which is really good in cases for which it is intended. I am, yours very truly,"

DR. ERNEST A. ALLARD.

Doctors recognize that **Psychine** is one of the very best remedies for all throat, lung and stomach troubles and all run down conditions, from whatever cause. It is the prescription of one of the world's greatest specialists in diseases of the throat, lungs, and stomach, and all wasting diseases. Ask your druggist for it, at 50c and 1.00, or T. A. Slocum, Limited, Toronto.

## JOHN WALLACE, - Agent

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### NOTICE OF MEETING.

## The County Council

of Lennox and Addington will meet at the Council Chambers, in the Court House, Napanee, on  
**Wednesday, 1st April, 1908,**  
at 2 o'clock p.m.  
at the call of the Warden.

All accounts must be in the hands of the undersigned, not later than Thursday, 2nd April, 1908, in order that they may be considered.

W. G. WILSON,  
County Clerk.

Dated March 16th, 1908.

### DREAM FOOD.

Hasheesh, the Strange Drug That is Used in the Orient.

Hasheesh, that strange drug which has given our language its word "assassin"—a man so frenzied by the drug that he accomplishes murder—is used by the Persians, Turks and Egyptians in a manner akin to the use of opium by the Chinese. It is the product of a plant grown in large quantities in the Peloponnesus (southern Greece) in the district about Tripolitza. The plant grows to a height of about four feet, and its branches are thickly covered with small leaves and studded with tiny seeds.

The entire plant, stalk and branches, is cut within a few inches of the root and laid out in the sun to dry. The branches are then rubbed to separate the seeds, and these in turn are ground into a fine powder, which constitutes the drug. The drug has the power of inducing sleep and producing pleasant and fantastic dreams. Continued use of hasheesh renders its devotees wild and reckless and results in a complete wreck of their mental and physical constitution.

For this reason the Egyptian government prohibited the importation of the drug and entered into a convention with Greece to prevent its exportation from there to Egypt, where the consumers of hasheesh are very numerous. The drug is practically never used in Greece, but is now exported to the various ports in England, Austria, France and Italy, and from there much, no doubt, ultimately finds its way to Egypt.

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## R. G. H. TRAVERS, - Manager

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## CALENDAR

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T. N. STOCKDALE, Principal.



# A House of Mystery

OR, THE GIRL IN BLUE

CHAPTER I.—(Continued).

I arose from my bed a fortnight later stone blind.

With this terrible affliction upon me I returned to London with Dick Doyle, who came out to Florence to fetch me home. For me, life had no further charm. The beauties of the world which had given me so much pleasure and happiness were blotted out for me for ever. I lived now only in an eternal darkness which by day, when the sun shone upon my eyes, seemed to assume a dull dark red. At first it struck me that because my sight had been destroyed my personal appearance must have altered, but Dick assured me that it had not. No one, he declared, could tell by looking at my eyes that they were actually sightless.

And so I. Wilford Heaton, lived in these dull old chambers in Essex Street, in rooms that I had never seen.

You, who have sight to read these lines, can you imagine what it is to be suddenly struck blind? Close your eyes for a brief five minutes and see how utterly helpless you become, how entirely dependent you are upon others, how blank would be your life if you were always thus.

Dick gave me the time he could spare from his work, and would come and sit with me to chat, for conversation with him was all that was left to me. He described my rooms and my surroundings with the same minuteness with which he wrote, and tried to interest me by relating scraps of the day's news. Yet when he was absent, away or at work in his rooms above, I sat alone thinking for hours, counting time by the chiming of the clock of St. Clement Dants.

So heavily did time hang upon my hands that at last I engaged a teacher from the Blind School over in Lambeth, and with his books of raised letters he used to visit me each day and teach me to read. I was an apt pupil, I suppose, yet there was something strangely grotesque about a man who had already graduated recommending to learn his alphabet like a child. Still, it saved me from being driven mad by melancholy, and it was not long before I found that by the exercise of pains I could read slowly the various embossed books, standard works manufactured for the recreation of those unfortunates like myself, who would otherwise sit eternally idle with their hands before them. And not only did I learn to read, but also to make small fancy baskets, work very intricate at first, but which, on account of the highly developed sense of touch that I had acquired in reading, soon became quite easy.

The long months of winter darkness went by; but to me, who could not see the sun, what mattered whether the days were brilliant August or black December? Sometimes I went out, but not often, I had not become proficient in finding my way back by aid of a stick. I had practised a good deal in my rooms; but for a blind man to go forth into the busy Strand he must have perfect confidence, and be able to guide himself among the bustling throng. Therefore, on my airings I usually went forth upon Dick's arm, and the extent of our wanderings was the end of the Embankment at West-

were sore and aching. Sometimes at evening Mrs. Parker, herself a sad scholar, would try and read a few of what she considered the choicest morsels of the "extra special." She read very slowly and inaccurately, poor old soul, and many were the words she was compelled to spell and leave me to solve their meaning. Indeed, in those long hours I spent by myself I sank lower and lower in dejection. No longer, I heard Dick's merry voice saying—"Come, cheer up, old chap. Let me tell you all I heard to-day over at the club."

No longer could I lean upon his arm as we descended that steep flight of steps leading from the end of Essex Street to the Embankment; no longer did I hear those playful words of his on such occasions—

"Take care, darling, or you'll fall."

Dear old Dick! Now, when I reflected upon it all, I saw how in my great affliction he treated me as tenderly as he would a woman. Forlorn, hyped, and heart-sick, I lived on from day to day, taking interest in nothing, moping doleful and unmannered.

A single letter came from him, posted at some outlandish place in the North-West. It was read to me by old Mrs. Parker, but as Dick was a sad scribbler, his translation was not a very brilliant success. Nevertheless from it I gathered how deep were his thoughts of me, and how eager he was to complete his work and return. Truly no man had a more devoted friend, and certainly no man was more in need of one.

As the days grew warmer, and I sat ever with the tedium vitae upon me, joyless and dispirited in that narrow world of darkness, I felt stifled, and longed for air. Essex Street is terribly close in July, therefore, finding the heat intolerable, I went forth at evening upon the Embankment with Mrs. Parker, and, with my stick, practised walking alone upon that long, rather unfrequented stretch of pavement between the railings of the Temple Gardens and the corner of Savoy Street.

Try to walk a dozen paces as one blind. Close your eyes, and tap lightly with your stick before you as you walk, and see how utterly helpless you feel, and how erratic are your footsteps. Then you will know how extremely difficult I found my first essays alone. I walked full of fear as a child walks, stumbling, colliding, halting, and even waiting for my pitying old woman-servant to take my arm and guide me in safety.

Yet evening after evening I went forth and steadily persevered. I had, in the days before the world became shut out from my gaze, seen men who were blind guiding themselves fearlessly hither and thither among the London crowds, and I was determined, in Dick's absence, to master the means of visionless locomotion, so that I might walk alone for health's sake, if for nothing else. And so I continued striving and striving. When Mrs. Parker had served my dinner, cutting it up for me just as one places meat before a helpless infant, we went forth together, and for an hour each evening I went out upon that wide expanse of the Embankment pavement which formed my practice-ground.

Gradually, by slow degrees, I became

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and brings to you in your own home all the healing, health-giving properties of the giant pines. All the therapeutic virtue of the forest trees are contained in Virgin Oil of Pine (pure). It heals the lungs and bronchial tubes, gives almost instant relief to the irritating cough, and will break up a cold in 24 hours.

The action of Virgin Oil of Pine on the kidneys is also most beneficial. It is a perfect neutralizing agent for uric acid, and promptly relieves rheumatism, lame-back and other ailments due to disordered kidneys.

In the preparation of Virgin Oil of Pine every precaution is taken to insure freshness and purity. It is put up in ½-oz. vials only for druggists to dispense, each vial enclosed in a round wooden case to prevent breakage and exposure to light. The case is sealed with an engraved wrapper showing the name—Virgin Oil of Pine (pure), prepared only by Leach Chemical Co., Windsor, Ont.—plainly printed thereon. It is well to get the genuine. Should your druggist be unable to supply you, you can have a ½-oz. vial mailed to you by sending 50 cents to the Leach Chemical Co., Windsor, Ont.

are distracted by the sights around them—I went on with those short steps that I had acquired, ever tapping with my stick to discover the crossings. I was afraid of no street traffic; only of cycles, which, by reason of their silence, are veritable orgies to the blind.

Almost unconsciously I passed beyond the limit of my regular track, beneath the railway-bridge which I knew led from Charing Cross station and then straight on, with only a single crossing, until I came to what seemed the junction of several roads, where I hesitated. It was an adventure to go so far, and I wondered where I was. The chiming of Big Ben, however, gave me a clue. I was at the corner of Bridge Street, for I felt the wall of St. Stephen's Club. The turning to the left would, I knew, take me over Westminster Bridge; to the right I could cross Palace Yard and Broad Sanctuary, and so gain Victoria Street. Before my affliction I knew well that portion of London around the Houses of Parliament. I decided, therefore, on keeping to the right, and some one whom I know not kindly piloted me over the dangerous crossing from the corner of Parliament Street, for such I judged it to be from the cries of men selling the evening papers. Again, three times in succession, did sympathetic persons, noticing my helplessness as I stood upon the kerb, take my arm and lead me across; but in these constant crossings I somehow entirely lost my bearings. I was, I knew, in a long straight thoroughfare, and by the iron railings before the houses guessed it to be that road of flat-dom, Victoria Street.

Amused at my intrepidity, and congratulating myself upon having gone so far alone, I kept on, knowing that even if I lost myself I had only to call a passing hansom and be driven back to Essex Street. Thus for perhaps three-quarters of an hour I wandered on. From a lad who helped me over one of the crossings I learnt that I had passed Victoria Station, and now appeared to be traversing several large squares—at least, such was the impression conveyed upon my mind. It was useless to stop passers-by every moment to inquire where I was, therefore, laughing inwardly at my situation, lost in London, the great city I had known so well, I went on and on, down long straight thoroughfares that seemed endless, in enjoyment of the first real walk I had taken since my crushing affliction had fallen upon me.

(To be Continued.)

BRIGHT FIVE

**"Every One  
Thought  
I Had  
Consumption."**

**Pe-ru-na  
Saved Me."**

**"I THANK  
DR. HARTMAN  
FOR PE-RU-NA."**

"I hardly know how to thank you for I suffered five years with pain in the so bad I could hardly bear it. I coughed weaker. The pain extended through my breathing, which made me cough. Even my husband heard of Peruna and he finally cured me and now I recommend it. I thank Dr. Hartman for this excellent. Ste. Julie de Vercheres, P. Q., Canada."

NEGLECTED cold is generally the first cause of catarrh.

Women are especially liable to colds. These colds occur more frequently during the wet, sloppy weather of winter and spring than any other time of the year. Often they are not considered serious and are allowed to run on, or they are treated in such a way as to only palliate the symptoms, while the cold becomes more deep-seated and the patient finally awakens to the fact that she has a well-developed case of catarrh.

By reason of their delicate structure, the lungs are frequently the seat of a cold, especially if there is the slightest weakness of these organs. The treatment of catarrh of the lungs is also more difficult and discouraging than catarrh of any other organ of the body.

It would be wise therefore, to guard against it by every precaution possible. (Peruna has been found the most re-

## WAS AN UNKNOWN LAND

THE SUDAN THOUSANDS OF YEARS  
AGO.

British Government Has Opened It up  
for the First Time — The  
Desert Train.

There, at Wady Halfa, where to-day you first touch the Sudan soil and leave the Nile boat for the train that bears you across the desert, at Halfa, or at Seyne, which is now Assuan, was for centuries the last outpost of Europe and Asia, the final vedette of civilization, writes Sidney Low in the London Standard. The level sun flamed across the waste of sand upon the spearheads of Pharaoh's mercenaries and the helmets of Roman soldiers as it did upon the bayonets of Kitchener's sentries.

Beyond the frontier camp the Nile wound its way slowly upward towards the Unknown, the region of many names—Cush, Ethiopia, Merce, Napata, where only vague rumor and doubtful travel-

stick. I had practised a good deal in my rooms; but for a blind man to go forth into the busy Strand he must have perfect confidence, and be able to guide himself among the bustling throng. Therefore, on my airings I usually went forth upon Dick's arm, and the extent of our wanderings was the end of the Embankment at Westminster Bridge, or around those small ornamental gardens which extend from the Charing Cross station of the Underground Railway up to Waterloo Bridge. Sometimes, on rare occasions, he would take me to dine with him at the Savage Club, in Adelphi Terrace; and men, easy-going Bohemians, whom I could not see, would warmly shake my hand. I heard their voices—voices of artists and literateurs whose names were as household words—sat charmed by their merry gossip of artistic "shop," laughed at their droll stories, or listened to one or other of the members who would recite or sing for the benefit of his brother Savages. Those evenings, spent amid the tobacco-smoke and glass-jingling of the only Bohemian still existing in London, were the happiest in all that dull, colorless, dismal life of sound and touch.

They were the only recreations left to me. Truly mine was a trifling life. In April, after I had lived in that dingy den six months or more, Dick came into my room one morning and made an announcement. It was that he had been commissioned by the Daily Telegraph to go as its correspondent with a British punitive expedition on the North-West Frontier of India.

"You'll go, of course," I said, reflecting that such an offer meant both advancement and profit. He had long ago told me that a commission as war correspondent was his greatest ambition.

"No, my dear old fellow," his deep voice answered in a tone more grave than usual. "I can't leave you alone."

"Nonsense," I ejaculated. "I'm not going to allow you to fling away such a good offer to remain with me. No, you must go, Dick. You'll be back in three months at most, won't you?"

"Perhaps, I dare," and his voice sounded low and strange. "But really, old fellow, I can't go and leave you helpless like this."

"You'll see," I said decisively. "Mrs. Parker will look after me, and three months will soon pass."

"No," he said. "It's all very well, but you can't sit here month after month, helpless as you are. It's impossible."

"I shall amuse myself with my books and my chess-making," I answered. "Tell me, if this announcement of his had not crushed me. His is only the first step, to get used to my life, it is left me to do and to do alone, cheerless and unaided. Nevertheless, when the sight is destroyed the mind is shattered, and I believed all that this offered to him, and admired his self-reliance and readiness to refuse it on my account."

Therefore I insisted that he should go. In the end he was persuaded, and five days later left Charing Cross for India.

When he had gone I became hopelessly depressed. In vain did I try to interest myself in the embossed books, but they were mostly works which I had read long ago, and in vain I toiled at basket-making until my finger-tips

thing else, and so continued striving and striving. When Mrs. Parker had served my dinner, cutting it up for me just as one places meat before a helpless infant, we went forth together, and for an hour each evening I went out upon that wide expanse of the Embankment pavement which formed my practice-ground.

Gradually, by slow degrees, I became proficient in guiding myself with that constant tapping that marks a blind man's progress through the black void which constitutes his own narrow joyless world. At last, after several weeks of constant practice, I found to my great delight that I could actually walk alone the whole length of the pavement, guiding myself by intuition when encountering passers-by, and continuing straight on without stumbling or colliding with any object, a fact which gave me the utmost satisfaction, for it seemed to place me beyond the need of a constant guide. With this progress I intended to astound Dick upon his return, and so gradually persevered towards proficiency.

CHAPTER II.

August was dusty and blazing in London, and I felt it sorely in Essex Street. The frontier war dragged on its weary length, as frontier wars always drag, and Dick was still unable to return. His brilliant descriptions of the fighting had become a feature in the journal he represented. On one of my short walks from end to end of that long even strip of pavement a hand was suddenly placed upon my shoulder, and the voice told me that it was Shadrack Fennell, a charming old fellow, who had been a popular actor of a day long since past, and was now a prominent "Savage," well known in that little circle of London Bohemia. He walked with me a little way, and next evening called and spent an hour over cigars and whiskey. He was the only visitor I had in all those months of Dick's absence.

A blind man has, alas! very few friends.

Once or twice, when the heat became insufferable in my close stuffy rooms, I contemplated going to the country or to the sea. Yet, on reflection, I told myself bitterly that, being unable to see the beauties of God's earth, I was just as well there moping in that gloomy street, and taking my evening airing beside the Thames.

Therefore with all desire for life or enjoyment crushed from my soul, I remained in London, going out each fine evening, sometimes with Mrs. Parker, and at others, with a fearlessness acquired by practice, I carefully guided myself down the steep granite steps leading from Essex Street to the Embankment, and then paced my strip of pavement alone. But how trifling, disappointing, and soul-sickening was that meagre new world of darkness in which a chemically existed, none can know, only those unfortunate ones who are blind themselves.

About half-past eight o'clock one breathless evening in mid-August, Mrs. Parker being unwell, I went forth alone for my usual stroll. The atmosphere was close and oppressive, the pavement seemed to reflect the heat, and even along the Embankment there was not a breath of air. Alone, plunged in my own thoughts—for the blind think far more deeply than those whose minds

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(To Be Continued.)

BRIGHT EYES,  
ROSY CHEEKS.

Every Girl Can Have Them by  
Keeping Her Blood Rich and  
Red With Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

In the early days of her womanhood every girl—no matter what her station in life—should be bright, active, cheerful and happy. Her steps should be light, her eye bright and her cheeks rosy with the glow of health. But the reverse is the condition of thousands of young girls throughout Canada. They drag along, always tired, suffer from headaches, breathless and with palpitating heart after slight exercise, so that merely to go up stairs is exhausting. This is the condition doctors call anaemia, which means weak, watery blood. In this condition Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the only safe and reliable medicine. These pills actually make the new, rich, red blood which can alone give health and strength, and thus make weak, listless, pale-faced girls bright, active and strong. Miss Albina St. Andre, Joliette, Que., says:—"I am more grateful than I can say for the benefit I have found in the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was weak, run down and very miserable. I suffered from severe pains in my back and chest; had a bad cough; no appetite and would lay awake most of the night, and what sleep I did get did not refresh me. I tried several remedies, but they did not help me, and I, as well as my friends, feared I was going into decline. At this stage a friend who came to see me strongly urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and providentially I acted upon the advice. After using a few boxes my appetite improved and I began to sleep much better at night. This greatly cheered me and I continued taking the pills for some time longer, when the change in my condition was really marvellous. I was feeling as well as I ever had done. I could sleep soundly at night; the pains and cough had disappeared and I felt an altogether different girl. I am so grateful for what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for me that I cheerfully give you permission to publish this in the hope that it may point the way to health to some other weak and despondent girl."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are good for all diseases due to weak, watery blood. That is why this medicine cures rheumatism, indigestion, neuralgia, St. Vitus' dance, partial paralysis, and the side-aches, backaches and headaches caused by the troubles women alone suffer from. You can get these pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A REASON.

She—Why have you never married? Don't you think two can live as cheaply as one?

He—Perhaps, but not as peaceably.

UNION WAGE.

"What do you get out of life?" demanded the grumbler.

"What I put into it, plus a fair interest," answered the thoughtful man.

"What is your last name?" asked the principal. "I don't know," replied the young lady student; "I haven't got it yet."

the waste of sand upon the spearheads of Pharaoh's mercenaries and the helmets of Roman soldiers as it did upon the bayonets of Kitchener's sentries.

Beyond the frontier camp the Nile wound its way slowly upward towards the Unknown region of many names—Cush, Ethiopia, Merce, Napala, where only vague rumor and doubtful travelers' tales told of dim kingdoms, rising and falling and restless tribes of untamable savages.

NOW LIES OPEN.

But to-day this vast realm lies open. For the first time in its history it is in full touch with the outer world. When our generals overthrew the Khalifa's hordes ten years ago, they did more than merely reconquer the Sudan for Egypt; they conquered it in a sense in which conquest had never been effectual here before.

It is true that previous to the Mahdist revolt the "Turks" ruled all through the Sudan, even to the equator on the south and to the furthest borders of Darfur on the west. But, though Egyptian officials took heavy toll from the natives, and though Egyptian and Turkish soldiers lived (and plundered) all over the provinces, the country remained inaccessible, remote and inhospitable.

TRAVEL WAS DANGEROUS.

For those who were not officials or emissaries of the Government, the journey into it was difficult, and even dangerous; for all it was long and slow. But the neat and well appointed express boats of the Sudan Government service float you smoothly up to Halfa in the extreme of comfort.

And at Halfa you transfer yourself and your baggage to the train, which is also run by the Sudan authorities, with no greater trouble than you would at Cleopatra junction.

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NOW IS EASY.

It is a very simple business to get to Khartoum now-a-days. You can look through from Charing Cross if you please, and the worst adventure that need befall you on the way will be a bad Channel crossing or an inadequate luncheon at a railway buffet. Measured by time of transit, which is the only practical method of calculating distances, Omdurman is nearer London than Inverness when George III. was King or Venice when Charles Dickens discovered Italy.

WHEN THE EARTH QUAKES.

Some idea of the stupendous power of the subterranean forces exerted by earthquakes is shown in the physical changes effected by them. Mountains have been obliterated or new ones formed, islands have been made or destroyed, and whole stretches of coastline wiped out. For instance, in September, 1759, on the lofty tableland about 150 miles south-west of the city of Mexico, a piece of land four square miles in area was suddenly raised 550

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Certain relief and usually complete recovery  
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ALL DRUGGISTS; 50c. AND \$1.00.







MRS. MOIS PARIZEAU.

the good Peruna has done me. stomach. About a year ago it became day and night and grew weaker and my body and I also had difficulty in everyone thought I had consumption. I bought five bottles. This treatment vir- Peruna to every one who is suffering. lent remedy."

—Mrs. Mois Parizeau.

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It searches out every crevice, every duct of the body. It quickens and equalizes the circulation of the blood, thus relieving the congested mucous membranes. It exercises a healing and soothing effect upon the mucous membranes, no matter whether they are the more exposed membranes of the head and throat, or whether they line the remotest cells of the lungs.

Mrs. Jaschob, 1631 Hicks St., Toledo, Ohio, writes:

"When I wrote to you for advice, I had been sick for three years. I had trouble with my throat. Often I could not breathe through my nose. I also had pains in my chest and a cough. I took Peruna according to directions and it has cured me."

feet., and numerous cones appeared—one of them, the volcano of Jorullo, being nearly 1,700 feet high. Java, in 1772, suffered in the opposite way, for a tract of country fifteen miles long by six miles broad was swallowed up entirely—a mountain of 9,000 feet being reduced to 5,000 feet only in the process.

#### DO YOU KNOW

Every house has one or more outward applications for pain. Pango, a recent important French discovery, is guaranteed to remove colds in their early stages, to give instant relief from headache, neuralgia, rheumatism, gout and pains. It is expressly guaranteed that this remedy will fill a larger number of requirements than any yet procurable. **Pango is made under the direction of a leading physician, and sent to your address by mail on receipt of 25 or 50 cents by the Pango Company, Toronto.**

A WISH.

#### TRIBE OF CRIMINALS.

The Maghaya's Greatest Pride is Successful Burglary.

The Maghaya is born in an arhar field and schooled to theft from his infancy, says the Bengal Gazette. He lives without shelter or food for the morrow, perpetually moving from encampment to encampment, chased by the police and execrated by the villagers. His greatest pride is a successful burglary, and a prolonged drinking bout his most coveted reward.

Jail offers no terrors to the Dom; it is merely the result of being a bungler at his trade. The first attempt to reclaim the Maghaya Doms in Champarun was made by Mr. (now Sir E.) Henry. He found the greater number of the adult members of the tribe were in jail. Every police officer was held responsible if any Doms were found in his jurisdiction, with the result that as soon as a Dom was released from jail he was usually returned thither under the bad livelihood sections.

Agricultural settlements were established for the tribe, but they do not seem to have been very successful as civilizing agencies. The settlements serve as houses for the women and children, but the men are seldom found in them. The females generally hawk stolen property in the villages and act as spies.

#### FIFTY YEARS OF CRIME.

A Vast Improvement in the Last Half Century.

An interesting comparison given in the criminal statistics for England and Wales for the year 1906, issued recently, enables a contrast to be made for the first time of the prevalence of crime to-day with fifty years ago. Generally speaking, it may be said that a vast improvement has taken place. The number of persons tried on indictable offences—that is to say, the more serious crimes—totalled 59,079 in 1906, as compared with 54,667 in 1857. There is thus a slight increase in the number of criminals, but when it is remembered that the population has increased from nineteen and a quarter millions to thirty-four and a half millions in the fifty years, it becomes evident that, proportionately to the population, serious crime has decreased by some 40 per cent. The chief comparisons are as follows:—

	1857.	1906.
Serious offences ... ..	113,330	82,264
Drunkenness ... ..	75,859	211,493
Education offences ... ..	None	53,399
Police regulations ... ..	38,633	132,564

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Ambition gets along faster when unhindered by a tender conscience.

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#### WHAT CAUSES HEADACHE.

From October to May, Colds are the most frequent cause of Headache. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes cause. R. W. Grove on box 250

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Knicker—"Did you jump out of the frying pan into the fire?"  
Bocker—"No, out of the refrigerator into an iceberg."

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#### TOO KNOWING.

"Why not set your cap for that young fellow? He's single and well off."  
"Yes, he's single; but he knows he's well off."

It Reaches the Spot.—There are few remedies before the public to-day as efficacious in removing pain and in allaying and preventing pulmonary disorders as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It has demonstrated its powers in thousands of instances and a large number of testimonials as to its great value as a medicine have been got were there occasion for it. It is for sale everywhere.

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Hiller—"This paper states that it is only a matter of time when the automobile will reach the poor man."  
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If ugliness was only skin deep lots of women would try to shed their skins.

#### PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

**PAZO OINTMENT** is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

We never know what a good time we are having till it is over.

The number of deaths that occurs on the globe amount to 67 a minute, and the births to about 69 or 70 a minute.

If a cough makes your nights sleepless and weary, it will worry you a good deal, and with good cause. To dispel the worry and give yourself rest try Bickie's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It exerts a soothing influence on the air passages and allays the irritation that leads to inflammation. It will subdue the most stubborn cough or cold, and eventually eradicate it from the system, as a trial of it will prove to you.

Some men are like gas meters; they just can't help lying.

Ever see a boaster looking for a chance to make good?

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#### TRUTHFUL.

Auntie—Now Tommy, take my Bonnet upstairs for me, there's a good boy.  
Tommy—Boo-hoo! I don't want to!  
Auntie—Indeed! And why not, pray?  
Tommy—Cause mother told me you'd got a bee in it.

Good Digestion Should Wait on Appetite.—To have the stomach well is to have the nervous system well. Very delicate are the digestive organs. In some so sensitive are they that atmospheric changes affect them. When they become disarranged no better regulator is procurable than Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. They will assist the digestion so that the hearty eater will suffer no inconvenience and will derive all the benefits of his food.

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Mrs. Brown—"I have such a lovely present for my husband!" Mrs. Smith—"What is it?" Mrs. Brown—"A pair of slippers. Won't he be pleased?" Mrs. Smith—"Yes. What do you expect to get from him?" Mrs. Brown—"Oh, nothing much—a diamond ring, I suppose, or a sealskin jacket."

wide made in Persia, while larger than the Anatolians, they are useful in the same way and for the same purposes. They are in attractive patterns and colors; heavily tufted. Sent on receipt of price. **\$5** each.

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"Br'er Williams, does you think de devil is a white man or a black man?"  
"I dunno. All I does know is—de biggest race problem is how ter keep ten yards ahead of him!"

Worms derange the whole system. Mother Graves' Worm Extirpator deranges worms and gives rest to the sufferer. It only costs 25 cents to try it and be convinced.

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Spots and blotches on the face and neck are often merely signs of foul blood. Apply Weaver's Cerate to obtain immediate relief and take Weaver's Syrup to rid the blood of pollution.

Heaven helps those who help others to help themselves.

There are 200,000,000 copies of the Bible scattered throughout the world.

You can steal a march on anyone without breaking the law.

A Pill for Generous Eaters.—There are many persons of healthy appetite and poor digestion who, after a hearty meal, are subject to much suffering. The food of which they have partaken lies like lead in their stomachs. Headache, depression, a smothering feeling follow. One so afflicted is unfit for business or work of any kind. In this condition Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will bring relief. They will assist the assimilation of the aliment, and used according to direction will restore healthy digestion.

#### ANSWERED.

"I'm afraid I'm catching a cold," said Klesman, trying to get some medical advice free. "Every once in a while I sneeze. What would you do in a case like that, doctor?"  
"Well," replied Dr. Sharpe. "I guess I'd sneeze, too."

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Mrs. T. Brixton, of 5 Woodworth Ave., St. Thomas, Ont., says: "I had had some experience as to the efficacy of Zam-Buk in healing sores, cuts, etc., and had heard good reports from friends who also tried this balm, so when a year ago my little lad, four years of age, was left weak in the limbs as the result of a severe attack of influenza, I began rubbing in the Zam-Buk. His legs were so weak he would tremble and shake and was unable to stand for any length of time. Frequent applications of this ointment well rubbed in, seemed to strengthen him daily, and in a very short time the shaking and trembling in his limbs had been banished and he soon got strong and able to run about, thanks to Zam-Buk."

Zam-Buk is a splendid embrocation for rheumatism, sciatica, etc., and is without equal as a healing balm.

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The doctor's say.  
Well, what goes better  
With maidens, pray?  
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In 1850 the fastest vessel afloat was the Asia, of 1,500 horse-power, and 11 knots. In 1856 the Persia, of 13 knots; and in 1883 the Alaska, of 18 knots.

# POINTS FROM THE BUDGET

## Hon. W. S. Fielding Says It Is Time for Caution and Courage.

The decrease in the net debt amounted to \$3,371,117.

The cost of the Transcontinental to date has been \$8,163,878.

Actual cash surplus of \$16,427,167 reported for nine months.

Tariff is not perfect, but it is too soon yet to make any changes.

The revenue for the closing fiscal year is estimated at \$96,500,000.

We are just emerging from a period of world-wide financial stringency.

Owing to change in system the fiscal period this time covered only nine months.

A reduction in the debt has been made only in six years since Confederation.

Imports have increased nearly \$45,000,000, and exports decreased about \$5,000,000.

On the part of the Government it is a time for caution and yet a time for courage.

There are alterations in the excise duties on tobacco, but not for purposes of revenue.

In 1891 the net debt per head of population was \$49.09; in 1897, \$50.87; in 1908, \$42.84.

We must not fail to push forward the great enterprise of the Transcontinental Railway.

For the present year the revenue is

estimated at \$90,000,000 and the expenditure at \$12,000,000.

The Post-Office Department showed a revenue of \$5,061,728, and expenditure of \$3,979,557, a surplus of \$1,082,171.

Rates of interest of 6 and 7 per cent. to be paid on the \$10,000,000 advanced for moving the western crops last year.

The total exports for eleven months of 1906 were \$266,876,601. For the corresponding months of the present year they were \$261,434,521.

The total imports for eleven months of 1906 were \$308,764,306; for the corresponding period of the present year they were \$341,175,095.

The Intercolonial Railway revenue was \$6,284,251, showing a surplus of \$218,079. On the P. E. I. Railway there is a deficit of \$67,713.

Mr. Fielding thought the House was content with a budget speech not so long as formerly, and therefore occupied only an hour and a half.

Need for greater elasticity in the currency laws by extending the powers of the bank with respect to the issue of their currency at crop movement periods.

He estimated that the revenue would amount to \$96,500,000, and the amount chargeable to consolidated fund to \$77,500,000. If these expectations were realized the year would close with a surplus of \$19,000,000; a larger surplus than in any previous year.

## LEADING MARKETS

### BREADSTUFFS.

Toronto, March 24.—Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.21; No. 2 northern, \$1.18; feed wheat, 67½¢; No. 2 feed, 61½¢.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2 white, 92¢ outside; No. 3 red, 92½¢; No. 2 mixed, 91½¢; goose, 90¢ to 91¢.

Corn—Firm; No. 3 yellow American, 72¢ to 73¢, Toronto freights; No. 3 mixed, 1¢ less.

Barley—No. 2, from 60¢ to 70¢, according to quality.

Peas—No. 2, 86¢ outside.

Rye—No. 2, 86¢.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 67¢.

Oats—No. 2 white, 50¢ outside, 52½¢ on track Toronto; No. 2 mixed, 48¢ outside.

Flour—Manitoba patents, special brands, 86¢; seconds, 85.40¢; strong bakers', 85.30¢; winter wheat patents, 83.50¢.

Bran—Full cars, 82¢ to 82½¢, bags included, outside.

Shorts—Scarce, 82¢ to 82½¢.

### COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Poultry—Very quiet.

Young turkeys, extra choice, 15¢ to 17¢.

Young geese, 9¢ to 11¢.

Young ducks, 9¢ to 11¢.

Chickens, choice, 13¢ to 14¢.

Old fowl, 8¢ to 10¢.

Inferior chicks and fowls, 5¢ to 7¢.

Butter—Receipts are improving.

Creamery, prints, 31¢ to 32¢.

do solids, 30¢ to 31¢.

Dairy prints, 25¢ to 27¢.

do large rolls, 24¢ to 25¢.

do solids, 23¢ to 24¢.

Inferior, 20¢ to 21¢.

Eggs—New-laid 21¢ to 22¢; limed, 19¢ to 20¢.

Honey—Strained steady at 11¢ to 12¢ per pound for 60-pound pails and 12¢ to 13¢ for 5 to 10-pound pails. Combs at \$1.75 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Chopped, 12½¢ to 14¢, for large and small.

\$25; Ontario bran, \$24.50 to \$25; middlings, \$26 to \$27; shorts, \$25.50 to \$26 per ton, including bags; pure grass mouille, \$34 to \$35, and milled grades, \$25 to \$29.

Rolls oats, \$2.75; corn, \$1.60 to \$1.70 per bag.

### BUFFALO MARKET.

Buffalo, March 24.—Wheat closed: Spring firm; No. 1 northern, \$1.09½; No. 2 red, 99¢; Winter steady. Corn—Higher; No. 2 yellow, 71¢. Oats—Firm; No. 2 white, 58½¢; No. 2 mixed, 55¢. Barley—92¢ to \$1.03. Rye—No. 1 on track, 90¢.

### NEW YORK WHEAT MARKET.

New York, March 24.—Spot steady; No. 2 red, \$1.01½ elevator; No. 2 red, \$1.02½ f.o.b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, \$1.14½ f.o.b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, \$1.12½ f.o.b. afloat.

### LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Toronto, March 24.—A few good exporters were offered, some of which brought as high as \$5.25, and a few loads of heavy bulls sold at \$3.80 to \$4.25.

The best butchers' cattle all sold off first, as the demand for them was keenest. The proportion of cows was about as usual and good ones were in fair demand, selling at \$3.60 to \$4.10. Common and medium ranged from \$2 to \$3.40.

A small number of stockers was readily taken up at prices from \$3 to \$3.60. Calves sold at \$3 to \$6.50, and the average price paid was about \$7 per calf.

Sheep and lambs were not offered in large quantities. Bucks and culls sold a little higher to-day, owing to the limited offerings. A few spring lambs were on the market, selling at from \$4 to \$7 each, according to size and quality.

Hog prices are unchanged, and the market is quiet. Choice are worth \$5.

## HEALTH

### THE FRETFUL BABY.

Fretfulness in an infant is a dangerous signal, and indicates that something is wrong with either the child or its mother. The child is sick or in pain or discomfort, or else it has been allowed, through poor management by the mother or nurse, to contract a peevish habit.

An infant which is manifestly ill is likely to be fretful, but in this case the fretfulness is obviously a symptom of the disease. But there are many other cases in which this condition is not distinctly associated with disease, yet there must be some cause for it, which should be searched for and removed when found.

The most common causes for fretfulness are pain, discomfort and hunger. A great variety of conditions, some obvious, others obscure, may produce pain. It may be due to beginning disease of the spine or in the hip or some other joint, in such a case, which is very rare in a well-nourished infant, but does sometimes occur, besides the fretfulness and occasional screaming fits during the day, the baby is apt to give a scream now and then in its sleep at night. The child who does this repeatedly every night, or nearly every night, should be very carefully examined as to its spine and its joints, in order that disease, if present, may be detected early and treated promptly.

Another uncommon cause of pain in the young infant is inflammation of the ear. In this case the pain is usually very acute, and finds expression in screaming rather than mere fretfulness.

Infantile scurvy is accompanied by great soreness of the muscles, which causes the child to cry pitifully whenever it is taken up or handled in any way. Most commonly, however, the fretfulness of pain is due to indigestion, evidenced by vomiting, constipation, or diarrhoea.

When the milk is deficient in fat the baby is almost always constipated, and then, although apparently in good health and well nourished, it will be in a continual state of fret. The correction of this may be secured by a more generous diet on the part of the mother, or the administration to the baby four or five times a day, just before feeding, of a few drops of oil shaken up in weak solution of bicarbonate of soda or milk of magnesia. Temporary relief may be obtained by warm applications to the abdomen; this will quiet almost any peevish infant for a time, at least.

Discomfort from creases in the clothing, the rubbing of a frayed edge of cloth, or the scratching of a concealed pin will make the sweetest-tempered baby peevish.

Hunger will naturally make a baby peevish, but it is bad practice to stop the child's mouth with milk or give him a "comforter" to suck upon whenever he cries. The fretfulness itself should not be treated, but its cause should be sought for and removed.—Youth's Companion.

### HOME CURES.

If necessary for the school boy to take medicine during absence from home let mother put the required amount in a small vial, marking the hour to take on the label, using a separate vial for each dose. This method insures a correct measurement and obviates necessity for carrying a spoon or glass.

A good way to give liquid nourishment to a sick person who is unable to sit up is to buy the straws which are used at the soda fountains, or the rubber tubing which comes for infants' use, and can be purchased at any drug store. One color can be used for medicine and the other for nourishment,

## CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS

### HAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE GLOBE.

#### Telegraph Briefs From Our Own and Other Countries of Recent Events.

##### CANADA.

Brantford's tax rate is 21½ mills on the dollar.

Prince Fushimi's visit to Canada cost the Dominion \$37,000.

The Government is expected to impose a duty on repairs to ships in the interest of Canadian shipbuilders.

A steel bridge to cost \$11,000 will replace the Guest bridge near London, which was washed out.

The new Government dam at Bobcaygeon will increase the head of water a foot at Lindsay.

Guelph Old Boys of Winnipeg, over 400 of them, will return during old-home week next August.

The Quebec budget, submitted by Hon. W. A. Weir, on Thursday, shows a surplus of over half a million dollars.

Premier Whitney informed a delegation of unemployed men that the Ontario Government had no work for them.

Mrs. Bastedo of Hamilton was fined twenty dollars for throwing hot water on a baliff who came to seize her goods.

The liquidator of the Mutual Reserve Insurance Company warns Canadian policyholders to pay all premiums to him in trust.

A pickpocket at Montreal, when convicted, pleaded he was only following his trade, but was sentenced to five years.

Two women, Mrs. Clara McGuigan and Mrs. Margaret Hayes, were burned to death in a fire in their dwelling at St. John, N. B.

Ald. John Gaskin of Kingston is dead. Ben. Howard, a well-known runner, was killed on the railway near Peterboro', on Saturday.

No squatters' rights will be recognized by the Temiskaming & Northern Ontario Railway.

The by-law to reduce the number of tavern licenses in Toronto was quashed by Chief Justice Meredith.

Mr. W. E. Etaver, trustee for the Sovereign Bank, has entered an action for \$110,000 against the former manager, Mr. D. M. Stewart.

Nine hundred boys in St. Bridget's School, at Montreal, marched out in good order in a minute and a half during a fire in the building.

Mr. A. J. Donly, Registrar of Deeds for Norfolk county, died at Simcoe on Thursday.

The C. P. R. will place fifty-one western town sites on the market during the coming season.

Mr. Wainwright thinks the new city of Prince Rupert will start with a population of twenty thousand.

One hundred and forty-nine Hindus were released at Vancouver, and thirty-five others held to be deported.

Kenora Board of Trade is encouraging the use of electricity as fuel, and has electric cooking utensils for demonstration purposes.

Col. Hall and all but three of the officers of the 5th Canadian Artillery at Victoria, B. C., have resigned because they are not satisfied with the guns provided for them.

Brockville Board of Health finds it cannot alter the law allowing children to attend schools who have not a certificate on successful vaccination or insusceptibility to it.

Giuseppe and Bruno Greco were arrested near Paris, Ont., on Saturday, on a charge of stabbing Antonio Reizzo at Dundas. Reizzo has since died from his wounds in the hospital at Hamilton.

The practice of enclosing fireworks and inflammable materials in mail matter has called forth a protest from the British General Postoffice, and the Do-



Large hams—20c to 24c  
do solids—20c to 24c  
inferior—20c to 21c  
Eggs—New-laid 21c to 22c; lined, 19c to 20c.  
Honey—Strained steady at 11c to 12c per pound for 60-pound pails and 12c to 13c for 5 to 10-pound pails. Combs at \$1.75 to \$2.50 per dozen.  
Cheese—13½c to 14c for large and 14c to 14½c for twins, in job lots here.  
Beans—\$1.70 to \$1.75 for primes and \$1.80 to \$1.85 for hand-picked.  
Baled Straw—\$9 to \$10 per ton on track here.  
Baled Hay—Timothy is quoted at \$16 to \$17 in car lots on track here.  
Potatoes—Ontario, 90c to 95c; Delaware, 95c in car lots on track here.

#### PROVISIONS.

Pork—Short cut, \$21 to \$21.50 per barrel; mess, \$17.50 to \$18.  
Lard—Terres, 11½c; tubs, 11½c; pails, 11½c.  
Smoked and Dry Salted Meats—Long clear bacon, 9½c to 10c for tons and cases; hams, medium and light, 12½c to 13c; hams, large, 11½c to 12c; backs, 16c to 16½c; shoulders, 9½c to 9¾c; rolls, 9½c to 10c; breakfast bacon, 14c to 15c; green meats out of pickle, 1c less than smoked.

#### MONTREAL MARKETS.

Montreal, March 24.—The flour market is fairly active. Choice spring wheat patents, \$6.10; seconds, \$5.50 to \$5.60; winter wheat patents, \$5.30; straight rollers, \$4.75 to \$5; do., in bags, \$2.25 to \$2.35; extra, \$1.89 to \$1.90.  
An active demand prevails for cheese on the local market. September westerns are selling at 13c for white and 13½c for colored. September easterns, 13½c for white and 13½c for colored. There is a strong demand for butter. Grass goods are selling at 30c to 35c, current receipts at 28c to 29c. There is a little firmer tone to the local egg market. Canadian fresh are selling at 25c to 26c; American fresh at 23½c to 24c.  
Provisions—Barrels short cut mess, \$21; half-barrels, \$10.75; clear fat back, \$2c to \$2½; long cut heavy mess, \$20; half-barrels do., \$10.50; dry salt long clear backs, 10½c; barrels plate beef, \$13.50 to \$15; half-barrels do., \$7.25 to \$7.75; barrels heavy mess beef, \$10 to \$11; half-barrels do., \$5.50 to \$6; compound lard, 8½c to 9c; pure lard, 11½c to 11¾c; kettle rendered, 11½c to 12c; hams, 12c to 13½c, according to size; breakfast bacon, 14c to 15c; Windsor bacon, 14½c to 15½c; fresh killed abattoir dressed hogs, \$8 to \$8.25; live, \$5.80 to \$6.  
Manitoba bran, \$23 to \$21.50; shorts,

Sheep and lambs were not offered in large quantities. Bucks and culls sold a little higher to-day, owing to the limited offerings. A few spring lambs were on the market, selling at from \$4 to \$7 each, according to size and quality.  
Hog prices are unchanged, and the market is quiet. Choice are worth \$5.40 and heavies \$5.15.

#### THE TEMERAIRE TYPE.

The New Warships are Infinitely Superior to Dreadnought.

A despatch from London says: Speaking in the House of Lords on Wednesday evening, Lord Tweedmouth, First Lord of the Admiralty, defended the policy of the Government in refraining temporarily from laying down a large number of battleships, and said that the construction of battleships just now partook largely of the nature of an experiment. Great Britain's three vessels of the Temeraire type, he declared, were infinitely superior to the Dreadnought type, and the three vessels of the St. Vincent type would be an improvement on the Temeraire type. In the spring of 1911 Great Britain would have three squadrons of four ships each of the St. Vincent type. No power in the world would be able to assemble such a fleet of first-class battleships, Lord Tweedmouth declared, and he could almost say that a combination of all the powers of the world would not be able to put an equal squadron in the sea.

#### LAND SEEKERS POURING IN.

Entering Saskatchewan From Western States in Crowds.

A despatch from North Portal, Sask., says: Nearly one thousand land seekers and prospective settlers came in at this point over the "Soo" line on Thursday from the United States, and it looks as if the total number for the week will form a new record for this port of entry. Fifty cars of settlers' effects were passed through the Customs, chiefly belonging to men from the middle West, who had taken up land along the "Soo" line and west of Moosejaw, last fall. Most of the settlers who are coming in are Americans from the States of Illinois, Ohio, Indiana, Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota and North and South Dakota. Almost all of them are experienced farmers, and many of them have from \$10,000 to \$30,000 with which to purchase land and erect first-class buildings. In every way they are a desirable class of settlers, and each family is a decided asset to the country.

or glass.  
A good way to give liquid nourishment to a sick person who is unable to sit up is to buy the straws which are used at the soda fountains, or the rubber tubing which comes for infants' use, and can be purchased at any drug store. One color can be used for medicine and the other for nourishment, so as to avoid mixing them.  
To cure a cold on the lungs, take common brown paper, spread with lard, and grate nutmeg thickly over the top and lay over the lungs. Wear until the paper wears out. It has been known to cure the worst kind of a cold.  
Cure for Nausea.—Take some common field corn and parch it thoroughly without burning. Then grind fine or pound up fine with a hammer. Take two or three tablespoons of this and pour over it a cupful of boiling water. Let this stand until it settles, drain off water, and give to patient to drink, a swallow or two at a time every few minutes.

#### DON'T FOLD YOUR ARMS.

By folding your arms you pull the shoulders forward, flatten the chest and impair deep breathing. Folding the arms across the chest so flattens it down that it requires a conscious effort to keep the chest in what should be its natural position. As soon as you forget yourself down drops the chest.  
We cannot see ourselves as others see us. If we could many of us would be ashamed of our shapes. The position you hold your body in most of the time soon becomes its natural position. Continuously folding your arms across the chest will develop a flat chest and a rounded back.  
Here are four other hints which should be made habits. Keep the back of the neck close to the back of the collar at all possible times. Always carry the chest farther to the front than any other part of the anterior body. Draw the abdomen in and up a hundred times each day. Take a dozen deep slow breaths a dozen times each day.

#### JUDGE MABEE TO BE CHAIRMAN.

Will be New Head of the Board of Railway Commissioners.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Mr. Justice Mabree is to be the new chairman of the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada. He came here on Saturday to attend the weekly High Court, was again urged by the Minister of Railways to accept the office of Chief Commissioner, and finally consented. The order-in-Council consummating the arrangement will be passed by the Cabinet this week. Judge Mabree refused the position a week ago for the reason principally that by leaving the bench he would forfeit his right to a pension after so many years' service, which as a judge he would be entitled to. Assurances have now been given him that the judicial pension system will be made applicable to any member of the bench retiring therefrom to accept a position on the Railway Commission as was done in Judge Killam's case. Judge Mabree's appointment will be for ten years at the annual salary of \$10,000. The selection of the new Chief Commissioner is conceded by legal members of the House of both political parties to be an admirable one.

#### A CHINAMAN SHOT.

Stranger Demands Laundry That Was Left Elsewhere.

A despatch from Montreal says: Hop Lee, a Chinese laundryman, was shot in the head on Friday night by a stranger, who entered the laundry at 320 Roy street. Two men called and one produced a ticket, which had come from another laundry. Hop Lee refused to comply with the man's angry request for his laundry. He then drew a revolver and shot the Chinaman behind the ear, and escaped before the police arrived. Hop Lee was taken to the hospital, and the doctors believe he has a chance to live.

Giuseppe and Bruno Greco were arrested near Paris, Ont., on Saturday, on a charge of stabbing Antonio Reizzo at Dundas. Reizzo has since died from his wounds in the hospital at Hamilton.

The practice of enclosing fireworks and inflammable materials in mail matter has called forth a protest from the British General Postoffice, and the Dominion Government will prosecute the next case that occurs.

#### GREAT BRITAIN.

The London Telegraph's expert advises the overhauling of emigration machinery in Britain and Canada. The London Times is to be taken over by a privately formed company, of which C. F. Moberly Bell will be managing director.  
It is now recognized that Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman will never be able to resume the active leadership of his party in the House of Commons.

#### UNITED STATES.

Floods threaten to do great damage in the States of Oregon and Washington.  
Official vital statistics for January show 4,548 births to 1,395 deaths in Texas.  
The United States battleship fleet will visit Japan before its return to the Atlantic.  
Abe Hummel, the New York lawyer, sent to the penitentiary ten months ago, has been liberated.  
A young couple of Wilmington, N. C., were married in a touring car, while it raced at full speed.  
Blind boy athletes of Pennsylvania, Kentucky and Illinois had an athletic meet at Overbrook, Pa.  
Fire caused a panic in a Holyoke theatre, but the audience numbering 1,500, escaped without injury.  
The U. S. War Department's estimates of thirty-eight millions were cut down to eight millions in committee.  
Fishermen at Salem, N. J., are making good catches of perch and rock, at an earlier date than for many years.  
Vandals in New London, Mo., wrecked three hundred and fifty tombstones and ruined the interior of the school-house.  
President Roosevelt will send a special message to Congress this week advocating a tariff revision and a number of other reforms.  
Admiral Evans, the Commander of the United States battleship squadron, will ask to be relieved when his fleet reaches San Francisco.  
The New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Co. has just placed orders for 136 new locomotives, and also for 24,000 tons of steel rails.  
A five years' legal war over a rose-bush and four inches of land has ended in New York by the litigants agreeing to arbitration.  
David S. Rose, the former mayor of Milwaukee, addressed an audience of deaf mutes in that city in a 2,000-word political speech, using sign language.  
Two women smoking cigarettes in a carriage on the way to the opera, was a sight which regaled Broadway pedestrians in New York on a recent evening.  
Because of the failure of William Langosh to return a borrowed beer pail, he was shot probably fatally, by Victor Seoro, a saloonkeeper of Chicago.  
Just as she was about to be led to the altar by L. W. Stanley, Miss Callie Fanchier, of Pueblo, Colo., was seized by her mother, taken to the kitchen, and forced to work at the wash tub all night, guarded by two brothers.  
GENERAL.  
There are now fifty-one cases of bubonic plague at Guayaquil.  
Dr. Karavaieff, leader of the Group of Toil in the first Duma, has been killed by reactionaries.  
The Czar has issued a ukase praising his soldiers for their valor in the defence of Port Arthur.  
The Kaiser has demanded the with-

## STARTED TWO BIG FIRES

### Stormont Youth Wanted to Stifle Competition and Drudgery in Father's Store.

A despatch from Cornwall says: The sensation of the week in Stormont County is the confession of Philip K. Low, the 20-year-old son of J. W. Low, merchant, of Finch, that he was privy to the big conflagration in Finch Village on May 14, of last year, and that he had helped along the big fire of the previous day. The two fires nearly wiped out a busy village at the junction of the O. & N. Y. and C. P. Railways, and between them caused a loss of over \$85,000.  
Low, who is a nice looking, but rather weak-faced, young man of 20 years or so, confessed on Wednesday to F. D. McNaughton, reeve of Finch, that on the day of the first fire, when it looked as if the flames might be ex-

tinguished, he had started a fire in one of the threatened buildings, hoping thereby to burn out one of the business rivals of his father. On the night of the following day he started a fire in his father's store, and this caused the more serious conflagration of the two and nearly wiped Finch off the map. The reason he gave for the second act of incendiarism was that he was tired of the drudgery at a country store.  
Before Alex. McNaughton, J. P., Reeve McNaughton testified to this confession, and the prisoner affirmed that the confession was voluntary and in accordance with the light given him by God. The prisoner was remanded for trial on a charge of arson.



drawal from the army of his cousin, Prince Joachim.

The Premier Diamond Company has pledged itself not to lower the market price of precious stones.

Excursionists are refused permission to land at Porto Rico for fear of communicating yellow fever.

President Nord Alexis of Hayti has declared that there is no danger of an anti-foreign outbreak in the island.

A campaign against suspected revolutionists has been started in China, and a hundred arrests have been made.

Owing to the opposition of the Vatican, the Prince of Monaco has abandoned his intended visit to the King of Italy.

An aeroplane constructed by Leon Delagrangé made a successful flight at Issy, France, on Saturday, bearing two men.

During a debate in the Russian diet an Agrarian member challenged a Radical to a duel, but the latter refused to fight.

King Alfonso of Spain, during an automobile trip to Toledo, narrowly escaped injury in a collision with another machine.

New Zealand has asked the Washington Government to allow the battleship fleet now in the Pacific to pay a visit to the colony.

The Czar has refused a full pardon to General Stoessel, the Russian commander at Port Arthur, who will be imprisoned for ten years in a fortress.

The press representatives in the German Reichstag have refused to report any further debates unless Herr Groeber, the Centrist leader, apologizes for calling them swine.

#### ONTARIO BUDGET SUMMARIZED.

**This Year's Estimated Receipts Amount to Over \$9,000,000.**

Last year's surplus, \$606,000. Receipts for the year just closed were \$6,320,419, and expenditures \$7,714,245.

Estimated receipts for 1908, including cash balances on hand, are \$9,595,856.

Estimated expenditure for the year 1908 is \$7,501,875.

During the past three years the surpluses have amounted to \$1,656,174.

If the Government had not extended credit to lumbermen the surplus would have been \$1,106,000.

Of the estimated expenditure \$800,000 is for special work.

Receipts from the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway amounted to \$853,000, of which the province received \$235,000, which was applied on the English loan. This year, it is estimated, the province will receive \$300,000.

The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway will be completed to connect with the Grand Trunk Pacific at Cochrane, Ont., by Sept. 15.

The Provincial Government will float a loan in England in the Autumn.

#### SCHOOL PANIC IN PRUSSIA.

**Ten of the Little Ones Trampled Into Unconsciousness.**

A despatch from Kattowitz, Prussian Silesia, says: During a fire drill in this city school on Thursday afternoon there was a stampede among the children, which resulted in ten little ones being trampled by their comrades until they were unconscious. No lives were lost. The signal for the fire drill was given, but one of the exit doors was inadvertently left locked. With the warning bell, the children of the sixth class started for this door. They found it shut against them and their further progress barred. The children behind did not know what was the matter, and pressed so fiercely upon those ahead of them that their comrades against the door were trampled unconscious underfoot. The accident would have been more serious had not some passers-by heard the cries of the children and come to the rescue. They managed to get the doors open and put an end to the panic. The unconscious children were restored

## Fashion Hints.

#### FADS AND FANCIES.

Fashionable shoppers are wearing laced tan boots with heavy gloves to match them.

In both gowns and handsome waists the long shoulder effect is the fad of the moment.

New rain and storm coats are full, generous, comfortable affairs with big armholes.

Insects wrought in enamel are fashionable on hats, beetles and spiders being freely used.

One of the latest bretells manifestations is their extension into the sash effects at front and back.

Among the new border materials, Shantung are offering a wide choice of artistic design and modish color.

There is plenty of evidence that stripes will within a month or so have to yield to checks and plaids.

As a result of the fashion for printed patterns, stenciling has come to be adopted for various garments.

A distinctive feature of the latest gown fashion is the general suppression of the separate bodice and skirt.

Pastel blues and Copenhagen blues are extremely popular for evening coats. Light bronze greens also are well liked.

Japanese designs, toned down in outline and color for the western taste, are among conspicuous new features in the early spring dress goods.

Dainty striped silk parasols in black and white, blue and white, etc., will be exceedingly smart for street or carriage use this spring and summer.

There seems every prospect that this year we shall see the soft Indian cashmere permanently restored to feminine favor.

The striped collar, embroidered with colored dots or colored pattern, is the most popular of all those now offered in the shops.

There is a slight tendency toward crude colors. Afternoon frocks are seen of brightest royal blue, apricot, violet and pink.

Among the worsteds are striped pieces with wide checked borders, which come in white and brown, white and blue, white and old rose, etc.

In spite of the difficulty of managing them under coats, it seems likely that Japanese armholes will continue through the spring and summer.

The two-piece tailored suit is being replaced by the gown with the separate coat wrap that harmonizes with it in color, if not in material.

Fringe that is all made of crystals, of gold beads, both tubular and round, and of silver and colored ones is being dedicated to the adornment of the modish sash, which is assured of a future more brilliant than words can say.

An up-to-date undershirt for a tailor-made gown has two or three bands of fur on the full flounce, the fur being of the same tone as the skirt.

Hat crowns seem to be increasing in size. Some of the most gigantic crowns have narrow brims, while in other hats both crowns and brims are enormous.

One of the prettiest aprons is made from a square of handkerchief linen. It is particularly pretty to wear when manipulating the festive chafing dish.

Jaunty little Frenchy coats of cretonne and a parasol to match will be seen with white or colored linen and pique skirts on next season's summer girl.

#### THE LITTLE COAT OF FASHION.

Of the little coatees which so engross the Canadian woman there are no two ways of regarding them. They are altogether charming, and they are chic without being too pronounced. Some

# CHEERED FOR SUFFRAGE

## Incipient Riots Were Checked in Berlin By the Police.

A despatch from Berlin, Germany, says: The people of the east side of Berlin paid silent tribute on Wednesday to the memory of the revolutionists who were killed in the street fighting in this city in 1848. An imposing crowd of sympathizers gathered at the grave of the dead men in Friedrichshain Park, which is at the centre of the east side district, and heaped them high with flowers and wreaths. Towards the close of the day a huge crowd gathered at the Halle Gate and marched up Frederick street singing

the workmen's Marseillaise and other Socialistic songs, and shouting "Hurrah for universal suffrage!" The crowd tried to reach Unter den Linden, but on approaching within a block observed a thick cordon of mounted police occupying the street ahead, and turned into a side street, hoping to reach their objective point by another route. They found all the cross streets held by the police, however, and made a wide detour toward the castle, eventually reaching the Reichsbank. The police drew their sabres and forced the marching crowd to retreat.

#### MAY LEAVE QUEBEC.

**C. P. R. Have Already Secured Wharf Frontage at Three Rivers.**

A despatch from Montreal says: As a result of labor troubles among the longshoremen at Quebec there is a strong probability of the C. P. R. Empresses making Three Rivers their port of call during the coming season. They have already rented 1,000 feet of wharf frontage from the Bureau Wharf, and unless the Quebec longshoremen are content to accept a reduction in wages the boats will leave Quebec and use Three Rivers.

#### BOARDING-HOUSE MILK.

**In Winnipeg It Must Have Three Per Cent. Butter Fat.**

A despatch from Winnipeg says: The new city milk by-law affects not only dairymen, but all those who sell milk, including restaurants, hotels and boarding-houses. The latter must not place milk on the tables or on draught that contains less than three per cent. butter fat. Several will appear in the Police Court to-morrow charged with violating the law in this respect.

#### INSPECTOR STRICKLAND DEAD.

**Was Well Known Member of North-West Mounted Police.**

A despatch from Ottawa says: Col. Fred White, Comptroller of the Royal North-West Mounted Police, received a telegram on Saturday announcing the death at Fort Saskatchewan of Inspector Strickland, for many years a capable officer of the force.

#### 18-YEAR-OLD GIRL TO DIE.

**Sentenced Among a Batch of Russian Revolutionists.**

A despatch from St. Petersburg says: A court-martial on Tuesday passed the death sentence on three social revolutionists, among whom was an eighteen-year-old girl, who was the leader in several daring robberies.

#### DEATH SENTENCE ON ORCHARD.

**Judge Recommends it be Commuted to Imprisonment.**

A despatch from Caldwell, Idaho, says: Harry Orchard was sentenced to death on Wednesday for the murder of Governor Stuenkelberg. Judge Fremont recommended that the State Board of Pardons commute Orchard's sentence of death to imprisonment in the State Penitentiary. The sentence of death was pronounced in accordance

## YOUNG FOLKS

#### TOBOGGANING.

The toboggan was at the door, gay with flowered cushions. Its curved front beckoned the children out.

"Now you're sure you'll be careful," said mother, in the doorway.

"Oh, you needn't worry," said Fred, pulling on his gloves with a grown-up-man air. "I'll look after Sister Lou as well as father himself would. Don't I look big enough to take care of a little girl like you, Sister Lou?"

"Yes," said Sister Lou, trudging down the steps, a soft ball of white woolly wraps, with her face smiling out the only opening in them.

"I'll pull you to the hill," said Fred, helping her up on the cushions. "Now hold on! See, one hand on this rope, and the other on this one! Those are the side ropes."

Sister Lou nodded her white bonnet, and squeezed the ropes in her hands.

Fred dragged the toboggan to the top of the hill in the side garden.

"Isn't it fun?" he asked. "But just wait till we coast!"

He thought that perhaps when she found herself sitting at the top of the shining track that the boys had made, she would be frightened; but she looked as serene as a snow-bird.

"Fred! Fred!" called a voice from the piazza. "Here are your skees!"

The new "skees" that had taken Mr. Linstead so long to make!

"See here, Sister Lou," he said, briskly. "I want awfully to get them. Will you sit right still while I go over to the house a minute?"

"Yes," answered Sister Lou.

She meant to sit still. But Fred was gone longer than she expected, so much longer that after a time she forgot her promise. She stood up and looked the toboggan all over lovingly. It had come only a few days before, and was still new to her. "Fred thought it was like a little boat, not to go on the water, but on the snow," she said. "And it is, only it has a rope to pull it by."

She gave the string a jerk, and moved the toboggan a little on the smooth snow.

"Hello! Why don't you sit still?" shouted Fred, running down the front steps.

Sister Lou hurriedly scrambled into her seat again. "I forgot," she started to say, but she said "Oh! Oh!" instead, for the toboggan began to move. In playing with the string she had pulled it near to the slippery hill. Now it was

know what was the matter, and pressed so fiercely upon those ahead of them that their comrades against the door were trampled unconscious underfoot. The accident would have been more serious had not some passers-by heard the cries of the children and come to the rescue. They managed to get the doors open and put an end to the panic. The unconscious children were restored by local doctors and taken to their homes.

#### NAVIGATION TO OPEN EARLY.

##### Experienced Shipping Men Expect Ocean Vessels in Month.

A despatch, from Montreal says: Present indications point to the fact that 1908 will be counted amongst the early Springs, and marked down on the calendar as a red-letter year by shipping men and navigators along the St. Lawrence. It is predicted that, with fairly good weather conditions, the first ocean boat will steam into the harbor of Montreal about the 15th of next month. Those conclusions are not without foundation, according to experienced weather men. In spite of the fact that February was an exceptionally cold month, no ice bridge formed at Cape Rouge, for the first time in many years, and the river is now open up as far as Batiscan. This means that as soon as the heavy ice in Lake St. Peter moves out, which it is thought will be earlier than usual, there will be no obstruction to prevent ships from coming in.

#### DECREASE IN DEATH RATE.

##### Ontario Board of Health Gives Vital Statistics for February.

A despatch from Toronto says: The total number of deaths from all causes in February, according to the monthly report of the Ontario Board of Health, was 2,610, in a population of 2,101,200, a death rate of 12.9 in 1,000. In the same month last year there were 2,760, according to returns, covering a population of 2,128,320, a death rate of 15 in 1,000.

The deaths from contagious diseases were:

	Cases.	Deaths.
Smallpox .....	112	1
Scarlet Fever .....	406	19
Diphtheria .....	211	27
Measles .....	185	4
Whooping Cough .....	30	8
Typhoid Fever .....	73	27
Consumption .....	184	184
	1,201	270

#### IMPRISONED HIS HORSE.

##### Altoona Man Kept Animal in Stall for Fifteen Years.

A despatch from Altoona, Penn., says: Pius Inlow, a drayman, bought a horse on Wednesday that had been imprisoned for fifteen years in his owner's stable because the animal ran off and threw the occupants of a buggy into the road. The owner became so angry with the horse that he registered a vow never to take the animal out again. The horse has stood in his stall from that day to this, being fed and watered regularly. Lack of exercise made the horse so weak he could hardly walk. He was also handicapped by his hoofs, which had gotten to be a foot long. Before the animal could be shod eight inches of each hoof was cut away.

#### TWO YEARS FOR CHIEF CLERK.

##### W. A. Hunt Defrauded C. N. R. With Forged Pay Checks.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: W. A. Hunt, formerly chief clerk in the C. N. R. accounting department, on Thursday was sent to the penitentiary for two years for defrauding the company through forged pay checks. His confederates escaped with light sentences.

skirts on next season's summer girl.

#### THE LITTLE COAT OF FASHION.

Of the little coatees which so engross the Canadian woman there are no two ways of regarding them. They are altogether charming, and they are chic without being too pronounced. Some of them are quite plain, and others are about as elaborate—even fussy—as they can be, but, no matter—it is their duty to appear simple, and therein lies the difficulty. Two examples will illustrate. A model in serge has the front and back cut in one piece with a narrow cross-over vest from edges and arm sides finished with wide silk braid, kimono sleeves. Another model of silk and cloth has the lower portion, which is of the cloth in a cutaway-coat style, while from the front and centre back to the arm side there is a shirring of soft taffeta held with fancy braid. This is, in effect, an Elton over a cutaway, and yet in spite of the shirring the lines are simple.

Nothing is more effective than the lace coats which are made in one piece, except the sleeves, which are frequently merely sleeve caps or epaulets. The newest forms of these smart coats is the cutaway, and they are found quite as often as a part of a negligee costume as for formal ones. Then there are the little lace blouses which are belted in with a band of gold or silver tissues, and others which are made high-length with the front corners rounded.

#### RICE FRIGHTENED HORSES.

##### Nearly Cost the Bride Her Life at Wolcott, N. Y.

A despatch from Rochester, N. Y., says: "A quantity of rice thrown by an energetic guest at the wedding of Miss Fannie Palmer and Gifford Livingston of Fairhaven, N. Y., held here on Wednesday, nearly cost the bride her life. Many friends of the pair united after the ceremony in the usual pastime of throwing old shoes and rice at the newly-wedded couple, just as they were driving away from the bride's home. Rice frightened the horses, they started to run, the carriage was overturned, and the bride, pinioned beneath it, was dragged twenty-feet before the groom, who held on to the reins, stopped the team. The wedding trip was abandoned, and the bride, painfully bruised, is under the care of a physician.

#### UP TO THE RAILWAYS.

##### Success of Great Quebec Camps Depends on Transportation.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The Militia Council on Wednesday had under consideration the question of the number of volunteers to be assembled at Quebec, the last week in July. Sir Frederick Borden said the desire of the Government was to place as many as 25,000 volunteers in the Ancient Capital. The only difficulty in the way is in the matter of transportation, and the Government has put it up to the railway companies that the country will expect them on this particular occasion, to be equal to the emergency.

#### THE ROAD TO PRINCE RUPERT.

##### Contract for Hundred Miles Let for Large Sum.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: General Manager Morse of the G. T. P. on Thursday signed a contract with Foley, Walsh & Stewart to construct a hundred miles east of Prince Rupert. The sum involved is between seven and ten millions. The great bulk of the work is rock cutting, and will be unusually expensive. Mr. Morse expects that the whole line will be completed well inside the contract time fixed by the Dominion Government.

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#### SET FIRE TO BARRACKS.

##### Stratford Man Confesses to Outrage Against Salvation Army.

A despatch from Stratford says: On Friday night last fire was discovered in the Salvation Army Barracks, but it was noticed and extinguished before much damage was done, and on Sunday Fred Bryant confessed to having turned on the gas and set fire to the building in several places. He was placed under arrest.

#### FIGHT AT FORT WILLIAM.

##### Italians and Russians Engage—Several Were Injured.

A despatch from Fort William says: Italians and Russians at the coal docks here got into a fight early on Thursday morning, two or three of the participants being badly cut about the head. The fight started by Toni Billi and Teja Morpha throwing cordwood through a window into a house occupied by Daniel Suminash and Andrew Ruzzihi.

#### HURLED INTO THE MUD RIVER.

##### Aged Manitoba Woman Killed and Husband Fatally Injured.

A despatch from Westbourne, Man., says: Mrs. Wm. Morrison, 72 years of age, was killed instantly and her husband fatally injured while out driving on Sunday afternoon. The horse swerved to one side and slipping on the bridge crossing the Mud River, crashed through the railing and dragged over the sleigh and its occupants.

#### FARMERS IN GOOD SHAPE.

##### Very Few Applications in Manitoba for Seed Grain.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: Less than fifteen applications by municipalities have been made to the Provincial Government for seed grain. The farmers generally in Manitoba, outside of one or two exceptions in the haled areas and in the remote settlements, are in good shape.

## TRADE FOR ELEVEN MONTHS

### There Was a Falling Off in Imports While Exports Increased.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The trade returns of the Dominion for the month of February and for the first eleven months of the current fiscal year, which ends on the 31st instant, were issued on Wednesday. The present commercial depression is reflected in the continued falling off of imports, which began with December last, although exports, on the other hand, show a gratifying increase. For the last month the imports amounted to \$21,604,133, a decrease of \$3,803,333, as compared with February of last year. Domestic exports amounted to \$14,636,818, an increase of \$2,015,961. Exports of foreign products totalled \$832,477, as compared with \$1,075,294 in the corresponding month of 1907.

For the eleven months of the current fiscal year the total trade amounted to \$389,755,974, an increase of \$30,156,704. Imports totalled \$328,321,433, a gain of \$24,798,784, and exports totalled \$261,434,521, a gain of \$5,357,920.

Exports of the products of the mines increased about \$2,600,000; agriculture, \$4,700,000, and manufactures, \$1,835,000. Exports of fisheries fell off by \$160,000; forest, \$1,700,000, and animals and their product, \$12,150,000.

"Hello! Why don't you sit still?" shouted Fred, running down the front steps.

Sister Lou hurriedly scrambled into her seat again. "I forgot," she started to say, but she said "Oh! Oh!" instead, for the toboggan began to move. In playing with the string she had pulled it near to the slippery hill. Now it was running away with her! The curved front already was dipping toward the steep white slide.

Fred ran at the top of his speed. "Take hold of the side ropes!" he shouted. "Hold tight!" He felt as if he wore rocks on his feet instead of overshoes. To think of that white ball of a baby sister, gliding away in her little boat down the steep slope so swiftly! And there, at the left of the slide at the bottom of the coast, was the pile of stones. Fred hung himself down on the slide, but he was just too late to catch the back rope. There was nothing to do but slide down the hill after her, calling all the way, "Hold to the side ropes!"

Sister Lou's toboggan flew down the hill and spun part way round with her; then it came to a gentle stop out on the level field, some distance from the stone heap. Fred gave a gasp of relief. "Only it'll spoil all her fun! She'll never want to toboggan again!" he groaned, as he ran toward her.

But Sister Lou beamed up at him from her cushions. "I beat!" she cried. "I beat! May I go alone some more?"

At bedtime Fred told mother about it. "And Sister Lou's no traitor," he said, proudly. "But supposing she'd got hurt! I would have been all my fault. O mother, I'm not half so grown-up as I thought I was!"—Youth's Companion.

#### KILLED ON THE CROSSING.

##### South Easthope Woman Met Death While Driving Home.

A despatch from Stratford says: While driving home on Saturday evening, Miss Margaret Smith, aged 65 years, was struck by a G. T. R. train, No. 2, going east and instantly killed. She lived on the second concession of South Easthope, some two miles east of Shakespeare, and was nearly home, when the accident happened. The horse she was driving escaped unhurt.

#### KILLED BY DYNAMITE.

##### Two Men Victims on Transcontinental Railway Construction.

A despatch from Kenora says: Charles Hill and J. Anderson were the victims of a dynamite explosion at Thomson and Egan's camp, north of Hawk, on Wednesday on the Transcontinental Railway construction work.



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special expenditure, after the Liberal allowances for the public service, notwithstanding the energy displayed in the prosecution of public works since the Liberal government came into power in 1896, and with the additional expenditure of \$127,000,000, apart from the ordinary charges in capital and special amount, at the end of 10 3-4 years, the Liberal government had only increased the public debt by \$5,174,427. If it were not for the building of the National Transcontinental Railway, there would have been no increase whatever to the public debt, but a very considerable surplus over expenditures of every kind.

The net debt per capita has been reduced since Conservative days from \$50.82 to \$42.84, as the following table shows:

### NET DEBT PER CAPITA.

June 30, 1886.....	50.82
" 1897.....	50.87
" 1898.....	50.77
" 1899.....	50.66
" 1900.....	49.88
" 1901.....	49.84
" 1902.....	49.59
" 1903.....	46.34
" 1904.....	46.74
" 1905.....	45.63
" 1906.....	44.63
March 31, 1907.....	42.84

### Surplus for 1907-8.

The fiscal year for 1907-08 will close on the 31st March. The total revenue up to 29 February '08, was \$87,607,299. Mr. Fielding estimated the revenue for the year at \$96,500,000, and the expenditure chargeable to capital account at \$77,500,000. If this estimate is established by the facts the surplus for the year will be \$19,000,000. The largest surplus in the history of the country or more than half the total revenue when the Conservatives went out of power in 1896.

Again, if it were not for the exceptional expenditures in the National Transcontinental Railway, the year would end with a reduction of the public debt amounting to \$5,750,000.

### Expenditure on G. T. Pacific.

Up to date \$8,163,878 have been expended on the National Transcontinental Railway, eastern division which the government are constructing. It is estimated that \$17,748,000 will be required by 31 March, which will bring the total expenditure in this national work to date of \$26,000,000.

### Provincial Subsidies.

Referring to greater calls upon the government than formerly, Mr. Fielding drew attention to the fact that Provincial subsidies have heretofore amounted to \$6,745,133 per annum, but under the new terms recently entered into, they now amount to \$9,032,774, an increase per annum of the sum of \$2,287,631.

### Trade Returns.

The total imports for the eleven months ending 29 February '08, were \$341,175,095. The total exports for the eleven months ending 29 February '08, were \$261,434,521, a very substantial increase over the corresponding period of last year.

A comparison with previous years demonstrates the steady growth of Canadian commerce.

Total trade 1897, \$257,168,862.
Total trade 1907, \$917,964,952.
Total imports 1897, \$119,218,609.
Total imports 1907, \$359,783,278.
Total exports 1897, \$137,950,253.
Total exports 1907, \$258,171,674.
Total Trade With Great Britain.
1897, \$98,935,040; 1907, \$208,745,193.
Railway Traffic Tons Carried.
1897, 25,300,331; 1907, 63,866,133.

### Bank Deposits.

1897, \$226,960,482; 1907, \$639,970,696.
Deposits in Bank.

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could be utilized for that purpose?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—You have never heard tell of anything like that? Now when the clerk brought these tenders did you open them?

A.—Yes.

Q.—And I supposed the clerk took down the names and amounts as you read them off?

A.—We opened them together. The clerk and myself always opened them together.

Q.—So that there were always two people present while the tenders were being opened?

A.—Yes.

Q.—There have always been two people present, you and this clerk, when the tenders were opened?

A.—Yes; sometimes more.

Q.—Sometimes more?

A.—Yes.

Q.—In what case would there be more?

A.—Well there were other clerks, of course, in the office, and sometimes we had some of the tenderers?

Q.—Some of the tenderers?

A.—Yes.

Q.—Was there any attempt to exclude anybody?

A.—Anybody who wanted to come in was allowed to do so so far as I know.

Q.—If a proper party?

A.—Anybody interested in the business.

Q.—Did you understand that you were following the system.

Tories Block Investigation,  
Mr. MacDonald had proceeded so far



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## POLITICAL NEWS!

On Tuesday last Hon. Mr. Fielding, Minister of Finance, presented his budget and delivered his annual statement of the condition of the finances of the country for the last fiscal period, which in this instance was for nine months.

Mr. Fielding, amid the cheers of the members, announced that the surplus for the nine months, amounted to \$16,427,167. That is, that the surplus for the nine months was larger than the surplus of any fiscal year since Confederation, and was nearly half the total revenue of the Conservative government when they went out of office in 1896.

Total revenue for nine months ending 31 March last amounted \$67,969,328 and expenditure on consolidated fund for the same period amounted to \$51,542,161.

During the nine months the sources of revenue were as follows:—

Customs, \$39,760,172.53.  
Excise, \$11,805,413.21.  
Post Office, \$5,061,728.45.  
Dominion Lands, \$1,443,632.03.  
Railways, \$6,509,099.78.  
Miscellaneous, \$3,389,282.29.  
Total Revenue, \$67,969,328.29.

### Railway Surplus.

The revenue of the Intercolonial for nine months was \$6,248,251, while the working expenses were \$6,030,171. Showing an excess of revenue over expenditure of \$218,079 for this period.

### Public Debt Decreased.

The finance minister mentioned that since Confederation there had only been six years in which the public debt had been decreased and four of them were under Liberal administration. During the past fiscal period the public debt had been reduced by \$3,371,117.

Alluding to this Mr. Fielding said that having provided for capital and

1897, \$25,300,331; 1907, \$63,866,133.

1897, \$226,960,482; 1907, \$639,970,696.

Deposits in Bank.

1897, \$201,141,688; 1907, \$589,459,889.

Deposits in Post Office.

1897, \$48,934,975; 1907, \$61,493,671.

These figures speak for themselves and tell the story of steady progress and increasing prosperity of the people. It can readily be seen what substantial progress has been made since the Liberal government came into power.

### No Tarriff Changees.

Mr. Fielding made a reference to the changes recently made in the tariff, which he thought were operating to the advantage of the country, and he further said that no changes were contemplated at present. Although there is some readjustment of the tobacco duties which will not, however, affect the revenue.

### Sound Financial Condition.

The country expected an agreeable financial statement, but the one presented by Mr. Fielding was far in excess of what the most sanguine anticipated. A surplus of \$16,000,000 for the short period of nine months, and a surplus for the year of \$19,000,000 should cause all reasoning men to acclaim the present government as the best in the history of the Dominion. With great public works in progress, a decrease in the public debt, of \$3,371,117, with generous appropriations for the public service, with a greater Canada to govern, the per capita public debt decreased from 50.82 in Conservative days to 42.84 to-day, surely there are facts which will appeal to the electors of Canada, and stamp the administration of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, as efficient.

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### Another Scandal Explored.

The Conservative press of the country has given extensive circulation to the unfounded but vivid description of the manner of opening public tenders for timber limits, which Mr. Foster evolved from his imagination. Mr. Foster alleged that tenders were opened by Mr. Turriff (formerly Commissioner of Dominion lands, and now M. P. for East Assiniboia) in secret in a darkened room in the interior department, behind locked doors.

This subject first came in the House and Mr. Turriff challenged any member of the Opposition to charge him with wrong-doing, if there was any suggestion of the kind. There was no answer to this.

When the matter came up in the public accounts committee, Mr. Turriff offered to submit himself for examination under oath, but the members of the Opposition saw at once that their insinuations would be quickly dissipated when Mr. Turriff met them face to face in the witness box, and they declined to call him.

In the meantime Mr. Greenway, the present Commissioner of Dominion lands was called before the committee. After the Opposition had elicited the fact that the system of receiving tenders and opening them was precisely the same as in Mr. Turriff's time—that is that the tenders were brought into the Commissioners' office by the proper official, upon the proper day, and that they were then opened in the presence of a second official, and that sometimes some of the tenderers were present also, the Opposition, in the person of Mr. Ames, the suspicious one abruptly dropped the examination. No question had been asked about secrecy nothing elicited as to a dark room, no attempt whatever to prove the words uttered by Mr. Foster.

This conclusion, however, was not acceptable to Mr. E. M. Macdonald of Pictou. This gentleman took Mr. Greenway in hand and the examination proceeded as follows:—

### Evidence Under Oath.

Q.—Now, did you lock the door when you went to open the tenders?

A.—No; I never did anything of that kind.

Q.—You never heard there had been any system of locking the doors?

A.—No; I never heard of it.

Q.—Then was there any dark and secluded room in the building in which you retired when you opened these tenders?

A.—Not that I am aware of; they were always opened in my office.

Q.—In your regular office?

A.—In my regular office, yes.

Q.—Did the officials of the department tell you that there was any dark and secluded room in the building when tenders were supposed to be opened, or where Mr. Turriff used to open them?

A.—No.

Q.—I suppose you are fairly familiar with the department, the rooms and all that?

A.—Yes, I think so.

Q.—Do you know if there is any dark and secluded room there which

A.—Anybody interested in the business.

Q.—Did you understand that you were following the system.

### Tories Block Investigation.

Mr. MacDonald had proceeded so far with his examination and established the fact that there was no dark and secluded room, no locked door, no secrecy, but that on the contrary, the tenders were opened in the light of day, in the presence of two or more officials and in the presence of some of the tenderers, and any other person who had business to transact. At this point the Opposition saw their house of cards crumbling to pieces and all their allegations disproved, so Mr. Bristol jumped to his feet and the following incident occurred before the witness could answer the last question:—

Mr. Bristol—We might as well have this stopped right here.

Mr. MacDonald—Surely you are not going to be an obstructionist?

### Real Truth of it.

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technical objections made by Liberals to their questions. This timber question in one of the main attacks made in the government, and yet although Mr. MacDonald was anxious in the public interest to investigate the affair to the bottom, he was met by the obstruction given above. The public will be able to decide after reading the evidence given here, how much remains of the wild assertions of Mr. Foster and Mr. Ames, that star chamber methods are permitted in the Interior Department.

Notwithstanding the objections of Mr. Bristol, Mr. MacDonald proceeded with the examination and concluded with the following question:

Q.—So that you went right along without making any change, or giving any directions, just as you understood from the officials of the office had been done before you came?

A.—That was my understanding.

Mr. Turriff Insists on Testifying.

In the meantime Mr. Turriff, M. P., for East Assiniboia, a gentleman of unimpeachable character, and whose integrity has never been questioned, does not propose to allow the Conservatives, for political reasons, to base an attack on the administration by reflecting on his acts when filling the position of Land Commissioner. Mr. Turriff never opened tenders in a dark and secluded room, he was never alone when he opened them, there was always one official present, sometimes more than one. Therefore, as the Conservatives, well know that the bubble they inflated would burst after Mr. Turriff had made his statement, declined to call him.

What will the public think of this? The only man who can give direct evidence on the point—the one man singled out by the Tories as having conspired to award tenders by fraud—The man who was the official at the time alleged frauds were said to have been committed. This is the man they refuse to call, although he announced in the committee that he had been in daily attendance for that purpose. The public will arrive at a proper conclusion with regard to this.

The matter will not allowed to rest here. If the Conservatives don't want the facts and the truth, the Liberals do, and Mr. Turriff insists upon being called to the stand, and under oath he will make such a statement as will bury this latest scandal with the others, which have served their day as campaign material.

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### How Much He Thought About Her.

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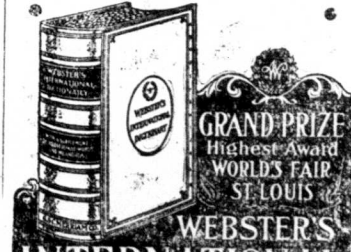
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bons, of these two orders is that St. Patrick's is blue of the hue that may be seen in the "backles," or plumes, in the bearskins of the Irish guards, though it suggests the blue bells of Scotland, while the sash of the thistle is a dark green, suggestive of Erin's verdant isle. On state ceremonies these two orders are frequently confounded.

What She Was Trying to Accomplish.

The other morning at the breakfast table three-year-old Jeannette was poking vigorously with her knife at a biscuit.

"What are you trying to do, Jeannette?" demanded mother. "Be careful; you will cut your hand."

Said Jeannette, "I'm trying to unloosen this biscuit; it's so tight!"—New York Times.

### Not a Matter of Choice.

Columbia Alumnus—That woman on the debate team is intolerable. You wouldn't like to debate with a woman, would you? Cornell Alumnus—Got so I don't mind it now. Been married five years.—New York Tribune.

### Hard Lines.

"Does your wife make you explain all your acts?"

"Worse than that."

"Worse than that?"

"Far worse; she doesn't permit me to explain them."—Houston Post.

### The Three Periods.

Jason—There are three periods in a man's life when he does not understand a woman. Grayson—And they are? Jason—Before he knows her, when he knows her and afterward!

## DREAM FOOD.

Hasheesh, the Strange Drug That Is Used in the Orient.

Hasheesh, that strange drug which has given our language its word "assassin"—a man so frenzied by the drug that he accomplishes murder—is used by the Persians, Turks and Egyptians in a manner akin to the use of opium by the Chinese. It is the product of a plant grown in large quantities in the Peloponnesus (southern Greece) in the district about Tripolizza. The plant grows to a height of about four feet, and its branches are thickly covered with small leaves and studded with tiny seeds.

The entire plant, stalk and branches, is cut within a few inches of the root and laid out in the sun to dry. The branches are then rubbed to separate the seeds, and these in turn are ground into a fine powder, which constitutes



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#### CHURCH TIME.

##### Quaint Ways of the Early Dutch Settlers in the New World.

As early as 1659 the Dutch settlers at Kingston, N. Y., erected with their own hands a little church building and dedicated it the following year. When a regular minister arrived from Holland the same year, writes Mrs. Nellie Urner Wallington in "Historic Churches of America," he found himself a dominie with a membership of but sixteen souls and a salary paid in wheat, which was then legal tender among these humble tillers of the soil.

In 1694 a bell was imported and gave such pleasure to the members of the little parish that they used it to announce the hours for meals for the farmers of the neighborhood.

The observance of one quaint custom was reminiscent of their former life in Holland—the announcement by the gray haired sexton between the ringing of the first and last church bells that the hour for service had arrived.

From door to door he traveled, rapped loudly and cried, "Church time!"

Notices of all kinds, whether of funerals, christenings, weddings or merry-makings, were handed first to the sexton, who in turn gave them to the clerk, who stuck them on the end of the bamboo pole which he kept for that purpose and reached them up to the dominie.

At the termination of the service, as in other Dutch churches, the deacons took up the collection with long poles having little velvet bags hung on the ends and a tinkling bell to wake the sleepers to the responsibilities of a contribution.

#### THE DUCK SHOVER.

##### A Man Who Gets Things on the Bounce and the Nod.

An amusing dialogue occurred between Judge Willis, K. C., and a plaintiff who sued a man for the value of a quantity of grain supplied.

His honor said he had received a letter from the defendant, who said he could offer only half a crown a month. "That," continued his honor, "will take six years to get rid of the debt."

Plaintiff (emphatically)—I would willingly forgive a poor man, but when you find he is a "swanker" and doing every one in the neighborhood it puts your back up. [Laughter.] We have to cut things very fine in order to get a shilling or two, and then these gentlemen come "swanking" about the country as if they were toffs. I am told by others that he is nothing more than a "duck shover." [Laughter.]

His Honor—A what shover? [Loud laughter.]

Plaintiff—Duck shover, your honor. ■

#### CASTORIA.

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along with obsolete weapons because this new arm would not stand impossible tests.—London Sketch.

#### AWAY BELOW ZERO.

##### The Awful Cold That Comes With Eighty Degrees of Frost.

It is difficult to form any conception of the degree of cold represented by 80 degrees of frost that at times prevails in certain parts of Russia. Sir Leopold McClintock tells us how in one of his arctic expeditions a sailor was foolish enough to do some outdoor work at precisely this temperature. His hands froze, and when he rushed into the cabin and plunged one of them into a basin of water so cold was the hand that the water was instantly converted into a block of ice.

At 25 degrees, Dr. Kane says, "the mustache and underlip form pendulous beads of dangling ice. Put out your tongue, and it instantly freezes to this icy crusting. Your chin has a trick of freezing to your upper jaw by the happy aid of your beard. My eyes have often been so glued as to show that even a wink was unsafe."

During a theatrical performance given by the crew of his ship at an inside temperature of 30 degrees "the condensation was so excessive that we could barely see the performers. Their hands steamed. When an excited Thesplan took off his coat it smoked like a dish of potatoes. Any extra vehemence of delivery was accompanied by volumes of smoke."

##### A Wrong Diagnosis.

The small boy with the big bundle of papers was observed to be moistening some of his stock in the street fountain.

"Ah, my lad," said a benevolent old gentleman, "it does me good to see such an illustration of cleanliness."

"What do yer mean, boss?" asked the boy as he stared up in wonder.

"Why, aren't you trying to wash the mud spots off the edge of your papers?"

"No, boss; you are way off. You see, some of these papers is two weeks old, an' if I dampen 'em up a bit people will think they are just from de press an' never think of lookin' at de date. Good graft, old sport! Say, some day when I am a captain of industry I'll give you a job."

But the benevolent old gentleman had fled.

##### The Order of St. Patrick.

The "most illustrious Order of St. Patrick" dates only from 1783, says a London writer, when it was founded by George III., and is not to be compared in age with "the most ancient and most noble Order of the Thistle," which, dating from a remote antiquity, was revived by James II. in 1687. The curious thing about the bands, or rib-

#### Spent Eighteen Dollars

"Gentlemen,—I have pleasure in stating that I have used \$18.00 worth of Psychine, and as a result was cured of very serious throat and lung trouble.

My case was a most difficult one, and the doctors had practically said that I could not get well. I tried Psychine, and it did me so much good that I continued its use until I had taken \$18.00 worth, with the result that I am now a new man physically. I have gained thirty-five pounds.

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Yours truly, C. A. PINKHAM. Scotstown, Que., Sept., '07.

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with small leaves and studied with tiny seeds.

The entire plant, stalk and branches, is cut within a few inches of the root and laid out in the sun to dry. The branches are then rubbed to separate the seeds, and these in turn are ground into a fine powder, which constitutes the drug. The drug has the power of inducing sleep and producing pleasant and fantastic dreams. Continued use of hasheesh renders its devotees wild and reckless and results in a complete wreck of their mental and physical constitution.

For this reason the Egyptian government prohibited the importation of the drug and entered into a convention with Greece to prevent its exportation from there to Egypt, where the consumers of hasheesh are very numerous. The drug is practically never used in Greece, but is now exported to the various ports in England, Austria, France and Italy, and from there much, no doubt, ultimately finds its way to Egypt.

#### 4 Hospitals Failed

James Heard, of Morton Park, Ont., says: "While employed at the Speciality Works of Newmarket 6 or 7 years ago, I bruised my ankle, but through neglect this bruise turned to an ulcerated or burning sore which caused me a great deal of suffering. I tried a great number of doctors, and was in the hospital four times. I tried almost everything, but nothing did me any good. I could not sleep at night with the scalding and burning pain, but from the first application of Zam-buk I never lost any sleep, and felt nothing more of it than if I hadn't had had any sore at all. It started healing and gave me no further trouble. Shortly after this as I was getting on a street car, my foot slipped and I came with all my might down the edge of the step and gave my foot a terrible mangle up. This made it far worse than ever, but I started again with Zam-buk, and it did the same work over again as it did at first and my ankle is sound and well as ever it was. I cannot speak too highly of Zam-buk."

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"There is no extant data on the subject," said the farmer, "but I have every reason to believe that the hen is the person you are looking for."

##### The World Goes On.

We all imagine that our work is important and that no one can do it as well as we do, but the world has been constantly improving in spite of the fact that every man dies at the end of a short time.

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#### Victims of Heredity.

It has been shown that criminal tendencies depend on heredity and social and physiological circumstances. The most important of these is heredity. Just as no amount of ambition will enable a man to write a Shakespearean drama if he have not the talent, so it is preposterous to expect in a child of vicious parents, brought up among vicious surroundings, that moral tone which would characterize the finest type of humankind.—Strand Magazine.

#### Precious Models.

"Just think, somebody broke into my studio last night. Unfortunately I had just begun a study in still life."

"Was it stolen?"

"No, but the models were—a ham and some sausages."—London Tit-Bits.

#### Reassuring.

First Actor—I am in a quandary. I have been offered an engagement by two managers, and I don't know how to act. Second Actor—Well, don't worry. They'll soon find it out.

Do not neglect to keep your boots polished. You can always shine at one end if you cannot at the other.

#### Pie in England.

Pie came to the fore in England many centuries ago. It originated in the form of mince pie and was used in the celebration of Christmas. In its primitive stage it was baked in a deep sided dish, lined and covered with rolled out dough. The filling was of forcemeats, richly sweetened and spiced. This spicing and flavoring stood for the presents which the wise men bore to the Christ in the manger. For years and years this custom of having the Christmas mince pie prevailed, but finally it was denounced far and wide by the Puritans as a form of idolatry, and the government after parliament had suppressed the celebration of the birth of Christ took steps to stop the baking and eating of the mince pie. Eventually saner reasoning led to the taking off of the ban, and the pie eating custom was renewed.—London Standard.

#### Firm Resolution.

Dave Saddler was a brave Confederate soldier who was in the hospital at Richmond and who, in spite of his sufferings, always took a cheerful view of the situation. One day when he was recovering a visiting minister approached his cot and tendered him a pair of homemade socks.

"Accept these," said he. "I only wish the dear woman who knit them could present them to you in person."

"Thank you very much," said David gravely. "But I have decided that I never shall wear another pair of socks while I live."

The preacher protested, but to no purpose, and finally he sought out the boy's sister to tell her how foolishly the invalid had behaved.

"Why," exclaimed she, "both his feet have been shot off!"

#### His Gratitude.

The Medical Record tells of a man who was cured of blindness by a surgeon remarkable for his unprepossessing appearance. When vision was fully restored, the patient looked at his benefactor and said:

"Lucky for you, young man, I did not see you before you operated or I would never have given my consent."

#### Humiliation.

"I tell you, sir, kissing the hand that smites you is nothing to what I saw in the hotel this morning."

"What was that?"

"The porter blacking the boots that had kicked him last night."—London Telegraph.

#### Art.

"Was that picture you just sold a genuine work of art?"

"No," answered the dealer, "but the story I told about it was."—Washington Star.

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## WHY NAMED SEQUOIA

Origin of the Title Given to California's Big Trees.

### HONOR TO A FAMOUS INDIAN.

The Wonderful Work of Joseph Guess, a Half Breed Cherokee, Whose Latinized Name, Thanks to a Generous Scientist, the Giant Trees Bear.

In California's wonderland nothing is more interesting or wonderful than the Sequoia gigantea, which grows along Sierra Nevada's slopes, and its lesser cousin Sequoia sempervirens, inhabiting the lands near the coast around Santa Cruz. "What is the meaning of sequoia?" I asked a judge. "It is undoubtedly of Latin derivation, but I fail to remember its significance," was the judicial reply. The physician declared it "well chosen scientific nomenclature" and stopped. A man on the street said he "guessed it was the name of the fellow that discovered the trees," so I came to the conclusion that but few know, and yet the story is interesting.

A long time ago, as the story books say, there lived near famous old Fort London, in east Tennessee, not far from the Georgia line, a very great man of whom not one American in a hundred has ever heard. Joseph Guess, or Sequoia, a half breed Cherokee Indian, was born in 1760 and possessed qualities which would have made him great at any period or among any people.

many great men, Presidents Jackson, Polk and Johnson standing in the forefront. The nation they served has become one of the first of the earth, and so their names are known of all men. The people toward whose uplifting Sequoia spent his life are scattered to the four winds of heaven. Only a remnant remains, and in a few more generations they will be but a memory, and his achievement will be known only to the curious.

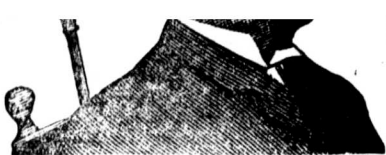
The old chief's life work was not in vain. No life of unselfish devotion ever is. A great American scientist with a soul attuned to the fitness of things Latinized the Indian name to Sequoia and gave it to California's great trees. And what name for the greatest of American growths could be more appropriate than that of one of the greatest of America's early race?

Scientists tell us some of these trees are thousands of years old. Everything that lived in all the earth when they were young has long since passed away. But there are young ones coming on under the shadow of their elders, and so is it beyond the range of probability that a dozen centuries hence some broken and discouraged traveler resting under the gracious shade shall ask the reason for the beautiful name Sequoia and, hearing, become uplifted and stimulated to do noble things through the story of the humble red man who by unselfish devotion became great?—John D. Ross in Los Angeles Times.

### ROPE SUPERSTITIONS.

Odd Beliefs About the Cure of Cancer and Mumps.

"Yes, I am heartily glad that execution by hanging is passing out of existence," said the jailer of twenty-five years' service. "Not only was hanging to the neck a gruesome, hor-



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or Sequoia, a half breed Cherokee Indian, was born in 1760 and possessed qualities which would have made him great at any period or among any people in the world's history. Combined with a powerful creative intellect were indomitable energy, application, persistence, that no discouragement could affect, and a firm confidence in his own ability to overcome obstacles. In his youth he acquired distinction in his tribe as a craftsman in silver, his handiwork showing not only technical skill in execution, but unusual ingenuity and originality of design.

It was not, however, until 1800 that he began the work that was to entitle him to a place among the earth's truly great. In that year Sequoia's ambition was fired by the knowledge that the whites had a method of communication by means of writing and books and set out to devise a written language for his own people. When it is realized that Sequoia was illiterate, knew not a single letter of the English alphabet, had no basis in his own language to build upon, the stupendous difficulties of the task he set for himself may well be imagined. He began his great work without a doubt of his ultimate success, with the superb faith that belongs only to the great. From an old English spelling book he copied all the letters, giving to each a sound, modified some of the letters he found, invented others until he had eighty-five characters, by means of which might be expressed every sound in the Cherokee language. Not only would this have been impossible with our alphabet, but so simple was the system that any one speaking Cherokee might within a week or two learn to read and write it. There are not lacking learned and distinguished philologists who unhesitatingly declare that Sequoia's alphabet is the most perfect ever devised for any language.

He had at first the usual experience of inventors. Shafts of ridicule were aimed at him, and he even received violent abuse from many of his tribesmen for his attempts to introduce this remarkable innovation, but his triumph came in 1821 in California. He was then sixty-one years of age, when a council of Cherokee chiefs formally adopted his invention. Soon a printing press was established, and quite a large and varied literature was its fruit, while even a newspaper was printed in Cherokee by the aid of Sequoia's alphabet.

The desire for learning among the Cherokees was remarkable, so much so that in a very few months after the invention was given to the nation thousands of its members could read and write. Considering the difficulties of his undertaking, I think we are safe in writing the old chief who died full of honors far from home in Mexico one of the greatest of Americans.

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"Yes, I am heartily glad that execution by hanging is passing out of existence," said the jailer of twenty-five years' service. "Not only was hanging by the neck a grewsome, horrible affair to me, but it was always followed by a host of requests for a bit of the rope with which the hanging was done. Of course, these requests came mostly from ignorant people, but they were no less of a nuisance on that account. Oh, no, they didn't want bits of the rope for morbid reasons, but because they firmly believed in the old superstition that a bit of rope used in a hanging would cure cancer if rubbed on the affected part. None of them ever came back to report whether a cure was effected, but I reckon if there had been any cures I would have heard of them."

"That isn't the only rope superstition by the way. In Maine, where I came from, some folk always use hempen rope for the mumps. A piece of it is tied around the waist of the sick person, so that the disease will not creep to any vital part, but remain in the face. The superstition is observed by a few people of this day, and if you go into small remote country towns in Maine you will see hempen ropes hanging in the corner grocery store, bearing a label, 'Ropes For Mumps.'"

## LAST WORDS.

Thoughts That Marked the Passing of Some Noted Men.

There is a collection of "last words" of celebrated men which contains many beautiful and startling phrases. Whether they were really uttered by the men to whom they have been credited, says the Berliner Post, is another matter. "Thus the words of Augustus, 'The comedy is at an end—did I play my part well?' are known to nearly every reader. The collection of last words of great physicians published by 'The British Medical Journal' gives Haller credit for saying, 'The artery beats—it beats no more,' and says of Nothnagel that he wrote: 'The night of July 6, after a violent attack of angina pectoris, \* \* \* I will die of arterial calcination.' Cooper, Bright and Brodie died with blessings upon their lips, and Darwin, looking death calmly in the face, said, 'I really do not fear death.' Locol's last words were significant: 'Au revoir, gentlemen. At the autopsy we will meet again.' None of these classic sentences, however, impress one so much as did the words of one of the few mortals who to our knowledge went into the unknown with minds undimmed. He was an old man who had lived a good and full life. With his last breath he said: 'It is not yet time. I want to stay'—that was the voice of nature."

## The Next Duty.

"What is my next duty? What is the thing that lies nearest to me?"

"That belongs to your everyday history. No one can answer that question but yourself. Your next duty is just to determine what your next duty is. Is there nothing you neglect? Is there nothing you know you ought not to do? You would know your duty if you thought in earnest about it and were not ambitious of great things."

"Ah, then," responded she, "I suppose it is something very commonplace, which will make life more dreary than ever. That cannot help me."

"It will if it be as dreary as reading the newspapers to an old deaf aunt. It will soon lead you to something more. Your duty will begin to comfort you at once, but will at length open the unknown fountain of life in your heart."

—George Macdonald.

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Eastern Standard Time. No. 28 Taking effect Jan 1st, 1906.

Bannockburn and Tamworth to Napanee and Deseronto.					Deseronto and Napanee to Tamworth and Bannockburn.				
Stations	Miles	No.12	No.40	No.4	No.6	Stations	Miles	No.1	No.3, No.5
		A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.			A.M.	P.M.
VO Bannockburn	0	6 00	1 40			Live Deseronto	0	7 00	12 35
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Queensboro	8	6 25	2 05			Live Napanee	9	7 00	1 25
Bridgewater	14	6 40	2 25			Strathcona	15	8 05	1 40
Twed	20	6 55	2 45			Newburgh	17	8 15	1 50
VO Twed	20	6 55	2 45			Thomson's Mills	18	8 30	2 00
Stoco	23	7 10	3 05			Camden East	19	8 30	2 05
Larkins	27	7 25	3 15			Arr Yarker	23	8 45	2 15
Marlbank	33	7 40	3 35			Live Yarker	23	9 00	2 17
Erinsville	37	7 55	3 55			Galbraith	25	9 00	2 25
Tamworth	40	8 10	4 10			Moscow	27	9 30	2 35
Wilson	41	8 25	4 25			Mudlake Bridge	30	9 00	2 17
Enterprise	46	8 25	4 35			Kuterprize	32	9 35	2 50
Mudlake Bridge	48					Wilson	34		
Moscow	51	8 37	4 50			Tamworth	38	10 00	3 10
Galbraith	53					Erinsville	41	10 10	3 25
Yarker	55	8 48	5 00			Marlbank	45	10 25	3 40
Yarker	55	8 48	5 00			Larkins	51	10 45	4 15
Camden East	59	10 25	5 38			Stoco	65	11 00	4 20
Thomson's Mills	60					Arr Twed	68	11 15	4 35
Newburgh	61	10 35	4 40			Live Twed	68	11 31	4 50
Strathcona	63	10 45	4 50			Bridgewater	64	11 50	5 10
Napanee	69	11 00	5 05			Queensboro	70	12 05	5 30
Napanee	69					Allans	73	12 20	5 45
Deseronto	78	11 25	6 05			Arr Bannockburn	78	12 40	6 00

Kingston and Sydenham to Napanee and Deseronto.					Deseronto and Napanee to Sydenham and Kingston.				
Stations	Miles	No.1	No.4	No.6	Stations	Miles	No.1	No.3, No.5	No.6
		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.			A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
VO Kingston	0	9 00	3 25		Live Deseronto	0	7 00	12 35	
G.T.R. Junction	9	9 15	3 35		Arr Napanee	9	7 00	1 15	
Glenvale	14	9 30	3 54		Live Napanee	9	7 00	1 25	
Maryvale	19	9 45	4 04		Strathcona	15	8 05	1 40	
Harrowsmith	19	9 50	4 20		Newburgh	17	8 15	1 50	
Sydenham	23	10 00	4 40		Thomson's Mills	18	8 30	2 00	
Harrowsmith	19	8 10	4 20		Camden East	19	8 30	2 05	
Frontenac	22	8 25	4 35		Arr Yarker	23	8 45	2 15	
Yarker	25	8 40	4 50		Live Yarker	23	9 00	2 17	
Yarker	25	8 40	4 50		Galbraith	25	9 00	2 25	
Camden East	30	9 15	5 05		Moscow	27	9 30	2 35	
Thomson's Mills	31				Mudlake Bridge	30	9 00	2 17	
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Strathcona	34	9 45	5 35		Wilson	34			
Napanee	40	10 00	5 50		Tamworth	38	10 00	3 10	
Napanee	40				Erinsville	41	10 10	3 25	
Napanee, West End	40				Marlbank	45	10 25	3 40	
Deseronto	49				Larkins	51	10 45	4 15	

## LOCAL WORKING TIME TABLE.

NAPANEE TO DESERONTO and PICTON.				PICTON TO DESERONTO and NAPANEE.			
TRAINS	Arrive	STEAMERS	Leave	TRAINS	Arrive	STEAMERS	Leave
Napanee	Deseronto	Deseronto	Picton	Picton	Deseronto	Deseronto	Napanee
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6 30 " 6 50 "		7 00 a.m.	8 30 a.m.				
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1 05 p.m.	12 25 p.m.						
1 20 " 1 40 "		1 40 p.m.	3 00 p.m.				
4 30 " 4 50 "							
6 35 " 6 55 "		5 30 p.m.	7 00 p.m.				
6 50 " 7 10 "							
8 15 " 8 35 "		7 00 a.m.	8 30 a.m.				

Daily. All other rains run daily (Sundays excepted).

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**MARLBANK.**

Frederick Cook left for Watertown last week.

E. D. Shangraw visited friends at Napanee, this week.

Ross French, of Roblin, is visiting his cousin here.

Thomas Parfit, a well-known farmer, intends to leave this place.

**SELBY.**

Scarlet fever and chickenpox are quite prevalent here.

The cheese factory here opens next Monday, under the management of Wood Bros.

W. Hunt and wife have returned home from Deseronto, wherethey spent the winter.

C. Gonn, D. Valleau, L. Innes and families have left for their factories.

E. T. Anderson and wife spent last week visiting friends at Belleville and Stirling.

The trustees of the Methodist church are having it repaired after the recent fire.

Visitors: Mrs. Duke and son, at G. Paul's; Miss Schell, at Mrs. Schermerhorn's; J. Gonn, at home; A. Davis and family, at A. Davis'; F. Wood and daughter, at Mrs. A. Wood's; Mrs. S. File and Misses File and baby, at Mrs. J. Gonn's; R. Lucas, at G. Valleau's.

**HARROWSMITH.**

On Tuesday last death called away Mrs. Buck. She had been ailing for some months. She had reached the good old age of eighty-nine years, and could tell of many incidents of the earlier days. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Service, and Rev. Mr. Lidstone on Thursday in the Methodist church, Harrowsmith.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bradshaw are visiting friends at Brockville.

Mrs. William Dowker, at one-time resident of this place, returned to her home in Wakopa, Man., on the 23rd, after spending a few weeks with her many friends here.

H. Dowker and Miss E. Buok are at Wesley Martin's, Verona.

Miss Pearl McLean is visiting friends at Colebrook.

Miss Myrtle Gallagher has returned home after spending a few weeks with friends in Toronto.

H. Alport is improving nicely, the nurse having returned to her home.

Mr. McCarthy, bank manager for some time, has gone to Bancroft. Mr. Kennedy has taken his place.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hart, Colebrook, are at Mrs. Davidson's.

Mr. McLean and Miss Wood, are at Mr. Hart's Colebrook.

Marl Ward has been offered a position on the C. N. R. train.

Edward Jackson, is on the sick list.

**GRETNA.**

We are all looking for an early spring, but have plenty of snow at present writing. Heavy loads were being drawn on the river here on March 20th and 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Loyst, J. Sherman, Ward Sherman and Miss Lizzie Sills spent Tuesday night at T. Fields'.

Mrs. A. Jennings, Napanee, visited here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Byrad Young, Manitoba, are expected to arrive in Ontario about the last of March.

Mrs. T. McWain, Mrs. J. Gates, Mrs. Herb Chambers, also Miss Pearl McWain, called at Mr. J. Loysts' and Mrs. P. Fields' on Tuesday afternoon.

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**BRIGHT SAYINGS.**

**A Little Batch of Stories Related by an Englishman.**

The sultan of Turkey had sent the queen of Spain a diamond bracelet. She had the stones reset in earrings and called the fact to the attention of Fuad Pasha, the Turkish envoy.

"His majesty," replied Fuad, "will be delighted that your majesty gives an ear to what comes from Constantinople."

To the same Fuad as Englishman

**LAW AND LITERATURE.**

**Writers Who Might Have Won Reputation at the Bar.**

The old connection between law and literature was strengthened by the late Sir Lewis Morris, who practiced as a conveyancer in Lincoln's Inn while he was establishing his reputation as a poet. There have been several poets who have abandoned the steep places of the bar for the slopes of Parnassus, but the late Sir Lewis Morris is the only poet of repute who has found the tasks of conveyancer not incompatible with the cultivation of the muse. R.

**He Gets Too Many.**

"My, John, you haven't a particle of tact!"

"What have I done now?"

"Asking Mr. Hamfat to dinner and telling him you will give him a good roast! And he a second rate actor!"—Baltimore American.

**One Way.**

Husband—I don't know how much of an allowance to give you. Wife—You know how much you can afford, don't you? Husband—Why, yes. Wife—Then give me as much more as you can spare.—Illustrated Bits

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#### How to Make Home Happy.

Mary (angrily)—I think you are the biggest fool in town, John. John (mildly)—Well, Mary, mother used to tell me that when I was a little boy, but I never thought she was right about it until I married you.—Liverpool Mercury.

#### A Thackeray Retort.

Being asked once whether he had read any of the books of a popular novelist, Thackeray rejoined:

"Well, no. You see, I am like a pastry cook. I bake tarts and I sell 'em, but I eat bread and butter."

The best remedy for wrongs done us is to forget them.—Syrus.

and caused the fact to the attention of Fuad Pasha, the Turkish envoy.

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To the same Fuad an Englishwoman impolitely said, "How many wives have you?"

"The same number as your husband, madam," said the wily Turk. "The only difference is that he conceals one of his and I do not."

When Robert Lowe married and said, "With all my worldly goods I thee endow," he grumbled to his wife afterward, "And at the time I hadn't a brass farthing."

"Oh, but, my dear, you forget there is your genius."

Lowe replied, "Well, you cannot say I endowed you with that."

In a much older story Frederick the Great is represented as saying angrily to the English ambassador of the day, "England is now without an ally upon the continent except God."

Sir Hugh Elliott instantly replied, "Yes, sire, but God is an ally that demands no subsidy."—From "Rambling Reminiscences," by Sir Henry Drummond Wolff.

#### What Might Have Been.

Lord Rosebery in an address at Glasgow university some years ago gave utterance to the following interesting speculation:

"Had the elder Pitt when he became prime minister not left the house of commons he could doubtless have induced George III. to listen to reason, introduced American representation into parliament and preserved the thirteen colonies to England. The new blood of America would have burst the old vessels of the constitution and provided a self adjusting system of representation. There would have been no war of separation, no war of 1812, and finally, when the Americans became a majority, the empire would perhaps have moved solemnly across the Atlantic and Britain become a historic shrine, the European outpost of the empire."

#### The Scent of Flowers.

As a rule the scent of flowers does not exist in them as in a store or gland, but rather as a breath, an exhalation. While the flower lives it breathes out its sweetness, but when it dies the fragrance usually ceases to exist. The method of stealing from the flower its fragrance while it is still living is no new thing, and it is not known when it was discovered that butter, animal fat or oil would absorb the odor given off by living flowers placed near them and would themselves become fragrant.

### The Famous Pedestrian

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poet. There have been several poets who have abandoned the steep places of the bar for the slopes of Parnassus, but the late Sir Lewis Morris is the only poet of repute who has found the tasks of conveyancer not incompatible with the cultivation of the muse. R. D. Blackmore, the author of "Lorna Doone," practiced as a conveyancer for several years. Sir Walter Scott, speaking of himself and law, said, "There was no great love between us, and it pleased heaven to decrease it on further acquaintance." Most of the poets who have sprung from the legal profession appear to have entertained the same unfavorable view. Cowper, who was a fellow pupil of Lord Thurlow in an attorney's office, was called to the bar at the Middle Temple, but he quickly yielded himself to the charms of literature. Denham was a member of Lincoln's Inn, and Thomas Gray, the author of the famous "Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard," studied for the bar, but neither of these got beyond the apprenticeship stage. Barry Cornwall was a solicitor.

### A HOMESICK PIONEER.

Poetic Plaint of One of the Early Settlers in Missouri.

In wonder the people of today read of the persistent cheerfulness with which the pioneers went about the business of settling the great west. Nevertheless it somehow gratifies the weakness of human nature to know that there was now and then a wearer of the deerskin leggings and coonskin cap who grumbled.

One early settler who went from a snug New England village to the fever haunted prairies along the Missouri was moved to put his complaints into rhymes, one of which has survived and is now carefully preserved by the descendants of the early settler, who live surrounded by the peaceful prosperity and comfort of a Missouri farm right in the heart of the anathematized prairie:

Oh, lonesome, windy, grassy place,  
Where buffalo and snake prevail—  
The first with dreadful looking face,  
The last with dreadful sounding tail—  
I'd rather live on camel hump  
And be a Yankee Doodle beggar  
Than where I never see a stump  
And shake to death with fever's ager.  
Judging from the last line, one might conclude that an acute attack of "ager" had suddenly prevented him from continuing.

#### First Aid.

Mr. Figgins, the head of the family, observing that the eaves over his kitchen had become clogged by autumn leaves, climbed a tree standing near the house, with the intention of removing the obstruction. Just as he was about to scoop out a handful of the leaves the dead limb on which he was standing gave way, and he started to fall. Instinctively grasping at other limbs and managing to get his legs round the trunk of the tree, he checked his fall and hung there, head downward, holding on with all his might.

"Sophia!" he yelled. "Come out here, quick!"

Mrs. Figgins, terribly alarmed, came hurrying out.

"Oh, Arthur," she exclaimed, "how did that happen?"

"Never mind how it happened," he shouted. "Get a chair!"

The chair was brought.

"Now stand up on it."

"Arthur, I'm not strong enough to help you down!"

"As I get down all right," he panted, "as soon as I can get right end upward. What I want you to do is to take this fountain pen out of the holder in my vest pocket. It's leaking like anything."

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#### Where He Gets His Orders.

"My friend Jinks says he can't catch up with his orders."

"Is he a manufacturer?"

"Oh, no; just a married man with five grown daughters."

#### The Feminine.

The Wife—Fancy, John, they are getting out a woman's dictionary! I wonder if it's any different from the others. The Husband—Probably has more words in it.—London Opinion.

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*Filling Pie with Chocolate*

I AM ASSURED that I speak within bounds in asserting that not one chocolate-lover in ten knows from whence the popular delicacy came to the countries in which it is most extensively used. We have an idea that the French, who make more of chocolate than any other people—using it as food and drink every day in the year—were the original importers from some unknown quarter of the tropics. If a trifle better read in the history of foods, we trace it back to the Spaniards, who knew its virtues early in the sixteenth century and taught these to their friends and neighbors, the French. In America the belief in the foreign origin of chocolate as an article of food and commerce is so well established that our housemother and her college-bred daughter may read with surprise the announcement that the Spaniards learned the use of it from the Mexicans, who had cultivated the evergreen shrub known to botanists as “Theobroma cacao” for centuries before the invading ships from the Old World touched the Californian coast. The natives prepared it as a beverage by grinding the ripe beans of the cacao tree and mixing them with cornmeal and spices. So ancient and dishonorable is the art of adulteration of foods!

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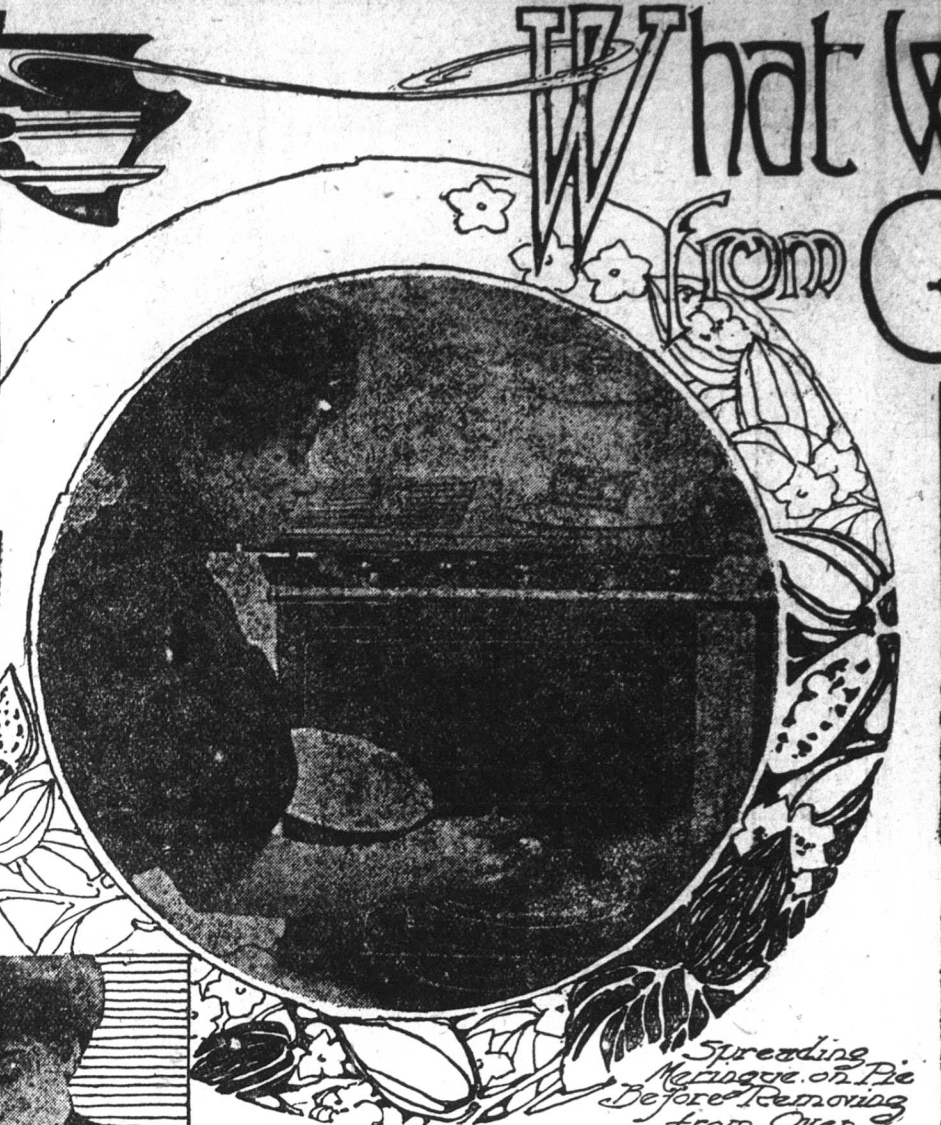
The seeds were ground into a rich, oily paste; this was pressed into moulds and dried into cakes of “chocolatl,” or, as some have it, “cacaotl.” There remains, after the oily part of the seeds has been extracted, a dry powder, which, when mixed with water or milk and cooked, gives us “broma,” a milder preparation of the chocolate much in favor with persons whose stomachs do not digest the richer product. The pods inclosing the seeds are dried and pounded into “cocoa shells.” This last is yet milder than broma, and is often drunk in large quantities by nursing mothers to increase the flow of milk.

The brief history of the invaluable bean, its products and by-products, should be conned by the lovers of the various forms of chocolate. The author of the work from which I draw the outlines of this sketch says, dryly enough: “In a pure state it is very nourishing. It is extensively adulterated with rice-meal, oatmeal, flour, potato-fat, starch, roasted nuts and almonds.” Reading further, we learn something that may put a testing-rod into the hands of our housemother:

“Good chocolate is smooth, firm, sol-



*Grating the Chocolate*



*Spreading Meringue on Pie Before Removing from Oven*

uble, aromatic, not viscid after it is boiled and cooled, but oily on the surface, and it leaves no sediment.”

As a non-professional cook and housekeeper, I will add that the inferior brands of chocolate are often blended with earth—just plain, dry DIRT! the dust of Mother Earth into which all perishable things will be one day resolved. I have handled and tasted it for myself in the course of amateur analyses of “pure foods.”

Moral: Don't buy cheap chocolate unless you like mud!

Directions for making chocolate into a beverage were given here so lately that our recipes today will deal with the use of it in other forms.

#### Chocolate Cup Custards.

Heat a quart of rich, unskimmed milk in a farina kettle, dropping in a pinch of soda to prevent curdling as it heats. Beat five eggs light, without separating whites and yolks, add, and stir in well five tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar. Pour upon this, stirring all the time, the scalding milk; put over the fire in the double boiler and beat in five tablespoonfuls of grated, unsweetened chocolate. Stir until the custard thickens. Practice will soon teach you, from the look of the spoon, when to remove it from the fire. Pour out at once to cool, and add a teaspoonful of vanilla essence. When cold, turn into cups or glasses, and heap a teaspoonful of whipped cream on the surface of each cup. Serve ice cold.

#### Baked Chocolate Custards.

Make as directed in last recipe up to the point of turning the custard to the fire. Pour it, instead, into cups or into a larger bakedish, and set in a pan of hot water. The water should rise about half way to the top of the cups or dish. Bake in a quick

oven until set in the middle and slightly browned. Cool quickly, as custards continue to cook after they are withdrawn from the fire, and an overdone custard is a curdled custard.

Eat with cream, turning the cups upside down upon saucers, after loosening the contents from the sides. They should be left in ice until you are ready to serve them.

#### Chocolate Trifle.

Soak a package of gelatine in two cupfuls of milk for two hours. Scald a quart of milk in a rice boiler, not omitting the pinch of soda. In a large bowl beat the yolks of two eggs with five tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar.

Without removing the milk from the range, stir into it the soaked gelatine, and when it is thoroughly dissolved pour the contents of the kettle upon the beaten eggs and sugar. Add five tablespoonfuls of unsweetened chocolate (grated), previously wet to a paste with a little cold water. Return to the boiler and the fire and stir for three minutes. It should be just on the boil when you take it off again and pour into the bowl. Have ready the whites of three eggs whipped to a standing froth. Stir in lightly with a teaspoonful of vanilla. Pour into a mold or molds wet with cold water and set away to cool and form.

To serve it, wrap a cloth wrung out in hot water about the mold, and invert upon a chilled dish. The “trifle” should be ice cold.

Eat with powdered sugar and cream.

#### Chocolate Pudding (Cold).

Scald two cupfuls of milk in a double boiler, adding a pinch of soda. When the boiling point is reached, stir into the kettle of milk four tablespoonfuls of sugar and half as much cornstarch (generous spoonfuls) already wet up with cold milk. Cook for two minutes after the boil is regained, stirring faithfully; add two heaping tablespoonfuls of grated chocolate, stir for another minute over the fire, and take from the range. Season to taste with vanilla and pour into a mold wet with cold water. Eat cold with cream and sugar.

A simple and cheap dessert.

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of milk four tablespoonsful of sugar and half as much cornstarch (generous spoonfuls) already wet up with cold milk. Cook for two minutes after the boil is regained, stirring faithfully; add two heaping tablespoonfuls of grated chocolate; stir for another minute over the fire, and take from the range. Season to taste with vanilla and pour into a mold wet with cold water. Eat cold with cream and sugar. A simple and cheap dessert.

# "THY WILL BE DONE."

## Neither the Prayer of Despair, Nor the Prayer of Submission.

"Thy will be done in earth as it is in heaven."—Matt. vii. 10.

How easy it is for the strong to deride the petition, "Thy will be done" and to reject it as the cry of a weakling or a coward. Taken by itself it may sound like the surrender of one who either does not dare to rebel or does not care to question some overwhelming force.

Is it our part to submit like blind slaves, to acknowledge that the will of the most high is right and best simply because we know it is mightier than our own? If this teaches us that religion means the breaking of our wills, then religion must be a source of weakness rather than of strength in the world.

We cannot afford to lose the power to will. No greater wrong can be done to a child than to attempt to break or crush his will. He will need that power for self-determination in his business of living later on. And so do men and women need every day the power to will and the wisdom to recognize how much depends every moment on their free willing of the right or the wrong.

Submission alone cannot make saints. Bowing the neck before that which is mightier, whether it be God, or devil, or fate, will only at last bring us a race of witless weaklings. The emphasis on submission and the talk about surrender will have produced a stratum of spineless people in religion and have turned it from many who might have brought to it splendid resources of

#### STRENGTH AND WISDOM.

How often is submission no more than a deceptive synonym for sloth, many thinking that they are piously yielding to the divine will when they are only refusing to make the exertion of willing at all for themselves. The call of higher religion is for those who will highly resolve, who constantly determine, who resolutely set their faces to better things.

That prayer is neither the prayer of despair, saying since these things must be so, let them be so, nor is it the prayer of submission; it is the prayer of determination, the prayer that wills the doing of the yet higher will. It is not crying, I give up, but I go on deliberately, gladly in the way and will of heaven.

None can truly pray such a prayer blindly. There may be times when it is uttered when the voice is choking with anguish and the eyes are dimmed with tears, but it is spoken then because we have learned in days when the way was plain and the heart was light that the way of that will was, after all and always, the best.

We desire that the eternal will should be done because that eternal will is but the fundamental law of our universe. It is that which moves through all, through blossoming flower and dashing wave, through elemental force and human pity and love, that law that leads to better life to God against it on any plane of life is physical, intellectual, or moral suicide.

#### THE SECRET OF LIVING

is in finding out this will and gladly willing it to be ours, in discovering the beat and rhythm of the universe and setting our songs in tune with it, in learning how to live not in spite of the universe, but because we are borne along on its tides of full life.

It may be better to fight against the universe than to accept it with fear, but better than either is to learn its way, to make its forces our servants, neither to oppose nor to yield, but deliberately to will to live in harmony with the great tides of life, with the moral order of the universe.

Soon we find that somehow this will which we call law or nature or in whatever way we may choose to seek of it is working out purposes larger than we had thought, is not the arbitrary, quixotic decrees of a mighty man in the heavens, but is the language of an infinite love, a love that baffles all our philosophy because it surpasses our experience.

Then how joyously we cry, Thy will be done, not because we are baffled, but because it is infinitely, eternally best, not because it is a law imposed upon us, but because it is a way of life we discover for ourselves and known to be the best for earth, the way of heaven.

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## THE S. S. LESSON

### INTERNATIONAL LESSON, MARCH

29.

#### Lesson XIII. Temperance Lesson.

Golden Text, Prov.

23. 32.

#### THE LESSON WORD STUDIES.

(Based on the text of the Revised Version.)

The Book of Proverbs.—The great master of Hebrew proverbs was Solomon, "son of David, the king of Israel. Of him we are told that he uttered more than three thousand such sayings. The canonical book of Proverbs, however, in the form in which it has come down to us, is of composite authorship; that is, in it are collected the wise sayings of a number of different persons. This is clearly indicated by the superscriptions of different groups of verses, as, for instance, chapter 22, 17 to 24, 22, of which we are told in the first verse of the passage that these are the words of the wise, and in chapter 30, in which we are given the words of Agur, and chapter 31, 1-9, where are recorded exhortations to Lemuel, king of Massa, spoken by his mother. The central portion of the book, in which are found the proverbs, properly so called, constitutes the portion contributed by Solomon. When and by

whom these wise sayings from different sources were collected and put into their present form we do not know. The verses which constitute the text for our to-day's lesson are a part of a group of verses belonging to the words of the wise (comp. 22, 17).

Verse 29. Who hath woe?—The word translated "woe" in our Bibles in the Hebrew is simply an interjection or exclamation of distress. We might translate it simply "O." The Hebrew idiom reads literally "To whom O?" that is, to whom is there cause for exclaiming in distress?

Who hath sorrow?—Hebrew, literally, to "whom alas?" the word translated "sorrow" being again simply an interjection, though not the same interjection as in the preceding sentence.

Contentions.—Quarrelsomeness such as results from indulgence in strong drink, and which consequently leads to pugnacity and therefore also to wounds without cause.

Redness of eyes.—The actual meaning of the expression thus translated is not certain. The word rendered "redness" may also be translated "darkness," or "dark flashing." Any of these translations would make good sense and be in harmony with the facts, that is, with the actual effect of excessive indulgence in strong drink, though probably the rendering as we have it in the English Bible is the preferable.

30. Seek out.—The verb here used is elsewhere, as in Job 28, 27, and Psal. 139, 1, used of diligent search for wisdom. Archdeacon Perowne, commenting on this verse in the Cambridge Bible, points out the touch of irony in the use of this word in this connection.

Mixed wine.—Not a mixture of different kinds of wine, nor yet wine mixed with other forms of strong drink—not mixed drinks in the American sense—but wine mixed with spices of different kinds to make it more pungent.

31. Goeth down smoothly.—Or, as our Authorized (or common) Version of the Bible translates the phrase, "moveth itself aright." The rendering of the Revised Version is, however, to be preferred, and is in harmony with the wording of Song of Sol. 7, 9, "And thy mouth like the best wine, that goeth down smoothly," or, as in the Authorized Version, "goeth down sweetly" (marginal reading "straightly").

33. Strange things.—Marginal rendering, as in the Authorized Version, "Strange women." The thought is that the imagination of the drunkard is haunted by strange and sinful visions as his mouth uttereth perverse things.

34. As he that lieth down in the midst of the sea.—That is, as one utterly foolhardy, because of having been robbed of his powers of reason and judgment by strong drink.

As he that lieth upon the top of a mast.—The mast and sails of ancient ships were more simple and clumsy than those used in modern times; usually but one large mast supporting a large square sail fastened to a yard of great length was used. The drunkard is as foolhardy as one who would lie down to sleep on the top of such a mast.

35. Shall thou say.—The fact that these words are printed in italics in both the Authorized and Revised Versions indicates that they are supplied by the translators and do not occur in the original Hebrew. In translating from any one language to another it is often necessary to thus supply words to give the plainly intended meaning of the idiom of the language from which one is making the translation. Such supplying of words is not guesswork, but a necessity.

Not hurt—Or, "pained." The senses

of the drunkard are so dulled that he becomes unconscious of cold or mistreatment.

Seek it yet again.—The antecedent of the pronoun "it" is left to be supplied in thought by the reader. Wine or strong drink is referred to, and the evil influence of these so fills the thought of the writer that he neglects clearly to indicate the subject in this sentence.

## A PAPER FOR CRIMINALS

### JOURNALISTIC ENTERPRISE AND SKILL IN RUSSIA.

#### Skill Consists in Keeping Under Cover

and Enterprise in Keeping

It Going.

This is the age of speculation in journalism as in other things the world over. Nearly every trade or profession has its organ. But in this ancient city of Moscow an editor has discovered an entirely new field for newspaper enterprise, which appeals to a numerous clientele, writes a Moscow correspondent. His paper, which made its first appearance only a little while ago, is called *Bosatska Gazeta* which interpreted means "The Barred-out Man's Gazette." It is a weekly journal, consisting of one double sheet of printed matter. It is ostensibly run by thieves and vagabonds for the benefit of thieves and vagabonds. The bulk of its contents consists of contributions from burglars and other folk who prey upon society, in which they describe their successful exploits. Its tone is humorous and raucy. The text is enlivened with comic sketches, some of which are uncommonly well done. Unless the police suppress it, it bids fair to have

#### A PROSPEROUS CAREER.

It is not lacking in advertisements; most of them of a decidedly unique character. In the latest issue, for instance, a young man announces that "being full of energy and temperament and having a loving heart, he seeks a life partner in the shape of a young lady with small means." The adventurer goes on to say that "having practised housebreaking from his tender youth he is now, at five-and-twenty, as expert a burglar as any in Moscow, and can, therefore assure his wife comfort and even luxury." Answers to this

## FAMILY

### SUNDAY

#### BREAKFAST.

Oranges, cracked wheat and cream, deviled kidneys, rice muffins, toast, tea and coffee.

#### LUNCHEON.

Mock pate de foie gras, saratoga potatoes, graham bread and butter, cut thin; fruit salad with mayonnaise, crackers and cream cheese, lemon cream pie, cocoa.

#### DINNER.

Tomato and okra soup, roast beef and Yorkshire pudding, browned sweet potatoes, safsiy fritters, turkey parson, black coffee.

### MONDAY

#### BREAKFAST.

Fruit, cereal and cream, apples and bacon, fried; baked toast, French rolls, tea and coffee.

#### LUNCHEON.

Baked beans and pork, brown bread (steamed), endive salad with French dressing, heated crackers, charlotte russe, tea.

#### DINNER.

Yesterday's soup, braised beef a la jardiniere (a left-over), scalloped sweet potatoes (a left-over), stewed celery, squash pie, black coffee.

### TUESDAY

#### BREAKFAST.

Grapefruit, oatmeal porridge and cream,



# We Can Get Chocolate



*Steaming Chocolate to Melt.*

## Brun Mangle.

Soak half a box of chocolate in a cupful of milk brought to the boil in a farina kettle. Put a pinch of soda in the milk when cold. When scalding hot, stir in the soaked gelatine and a cupful of granulated sugar. When these are dissolved add five even tablespoonfuls of grated chocolate. Stir for one minute and pour into a bowl. Season with vanilla. Put your eggbeater into the hot mixture and whip steadily for ten minutes, or until the mixture begins to thicken well.

Turn into a glass bowl and set in the ice as soon as it is cold. Serve in the dish with whipped cream heaped on the top.

## Chocolate Pie.

Scald a pint of milk, dropping in a pinch of soda, and pour upon three eggs that have been beaten light (yolks and whites together), with a scant half cupful of powdered sugar. Now add four tablespoonfuls of grated chocolate, stir over the fire for two minutes to incorporate the ingredients, flavor with a teaspoonful of vanilla and pour into a pieplate lined with puff paste. Bake in a steady oven. When the custard is set, draw to the mouth of the oven and spread quickly with a meringue made by whipping the whites of three eggs to a standing froth with two tablespoonfuls of sugar. Close the oven and let the meringue color lightly. Eat cold.

## Eggless Chocolate Frosting.

(Repeated by request.)

Put two squares of bitter chocolate into a pint bowl and pour upon it enough boiling water to cover the chocolate. Half a cupful is about enough. Cover and stand over the boiling teakettle until dissolved, then stir in pulverized or confectioners' sugar until stiff enough to spread. It can be spread as thickly as desired, as it does not harden all through. Use it for chocolate creams and to dip nuts in. For candy, add a couple of drops of olive oil to make a gloss.

*Marion Harland*

## Cleaning Hats for Another Season

SPRING is coming along at a very rapid pace, and it is almost time to take out last summer's hats and look them over to see if they can be put to any use this season. Leghorns are always good, and may be bent into whatever shape is popular at the moment, but, unfortunately, they change color in the sunlight, and it is necessary to get them back to their former state of whiteness if they are to be worn again.

Neapolitans, too, are usually good form, and if their shape does not suit, they may be wired and held firmly in any way the wearer prefers.

Chip, the favorite of last summer, is another straw that may be used the second season, but it usually requires a thorough cleaning. For this purpose nothing is so effective as peroxide of hydrogen, which may be poured on the straw and then quickly rubbed with a stiff brush, but, of course, the brim must first rest on a flat surface. If the operation is repeated again and again and the hat dried in the sun, the result will be surprising, and no one who had a hat last year should complain that for this year she has none. Of course, this prescription also applies to men's straw hats, as many careful housewives know, and unless the style in masculine modes has changed very much in the past eight months, the old straw hat can be made to serve for at least two months longer.



*Arranging Puff Paste in Pan*

required height, and serving as legs. We tacked dark oilcloth over the top, and denim of the same color at the sides, falling in pleats to the floor and hiding the "skeleton."

On this I keep a mat for the basin; powder, vaseline, etc. During the day it stands behind a screen with a pile of folded clean napkins upon it.

I hesitated to print the cookey recipe for a time, thinking there must be an omission in it. I ask now if this may not be. Will not the mixture be too stiff unless milk be added? Read it over carefully, and let me know if I am right in the suspicion.

## Caring for Dish Cloths

DISH RAGS are the great difficulty that beset the careful housekeeper in her efforts to keep a clean and tidy kitchen. They are drying on the hook and hanging on the sink, and somehow a towel used for pots and pans is always damp. Then time must be taken from the general work to wash them out and dry them, and altogether they are most extremely annoying.

All these things, and more too, were discovered by a careful young housekeeper, so she arranged to have a dish in the outer kitchen filled with good clear water and some washing soda, and into this mixture the cloths were dropped immediately after using and there they were left till evening, when they were hung up where they might dry over night.

Of course, enough towels must be on hand, so that the same one need not be used more than once a day, but at least they are always clean and the kitchen is always in order.

## Home-Made Desk Pads

A DESK pad that, with a little care and dexterity, can be made at home successfully was seen among some new things not long ago.

Two pieces of cardboard, about twenty by fourteen inches in size, were pasted together at one of the longer edges, making what looks like a pageless book cover. This was covered by a piece of flowered cretonne neatly turned at the edges and there

# ON THE FARM

## THE DAIRY HOG.

The dairy hog is an important factor upon the dairy farm. He uses the waste product and turns it into good money. It may seem like heresy to say such things when hogs are selling for less than \$4 per hundred pounds, but in spite of the fact that the hog is a good animal to tie to. Prices have been low before and have gone up. There is no question but that they will rise again. Every dairyman must raise more or less corn. There will naturally be some that does not go into the soil. The logical use of this is feeding it to the hogs, supplemented with separated milk, especially if the milk is separated upon the farm. You can get a few cheques from such practice that will pad the bank account remarkably. Let the cows pay the expenses of the farm and put the hog money in the bank. That is the way to make dairying profitable.

## PROFIT ON HENS.

I have kept thirty-five hens a whole year in a yard that was 12x75 feet, and the profit from them was approximately \$2.25 each, writes Mr. Miller Purvis. I had been breeding poultry more than twenty years before I did this. I knew from experience how to care for them. This knowledge came through making many mistakes and learning what to do as well as what not to do. I want to tell my readers how to avoid the mistakes I have made by telling them in the plainest way how to take care of their fowls.

## BEST LAYERS.

As a rule the hens with the larger combs are the best layers. A bright red comb, larger than the average, is almost always borne by the best layer. This is also true of the most mischievous hen. Pick out the hen that is first out of the house in the morning and last in, the one that digs up the garden and destroys the flower beds, and the chances are that she is among the best layers in the flock.

## THOUGHTS OF PEACHES.

The peach borer, whose happy home is everywhere, is a "cinch," he has a remedy in a hatpin or piece of wire. A preventive is better and easier, the simplest being wood ashes formed into a paste with water and planted on the trunks. The peach tree, as all fruit men know, should be planted on a north slope, as it is very ambitious and never loses its youthful enthusiasm. It responds to every brief period of warmth, even in winter; hence its great buds, aching for an opportunity to open, are nipped and destroyed when grown on a south slope or in a partly protected situation.

## RATS.

A farmer writes as follows:—"In a large number of old shingles I put about a half teaspoonful of treacle on each, and on that with my pocket-knife I scraped a small amount of concentrated lye. I then placed the old shingles around under the stable floors and under the cribs. The next morning I found forty dead rats, and the rest left the farm for parts unknown. I have cleared many farms of the pests in the same way, and have never known it to fail."

## FARM NOTES.

Keep the bearing wood of grape vines as near the main trunk as possible. The small onions picked from last season's crop may be used as sets this spring.

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## Knives and Forks

THE day of the old-fashioned three-prong steel forks and wooden-handled knives for kitchen use was gone and the equipment for the present day includes a set of German silver utensils, which are really just as cheap and very much more satisfactory. They cannot rust as did the steel monstrosities, and what could be more unsatisfactory than to eat with a rusty fork? The new knives may not be as sharp, but who needs a razor blade to cut meat and butter bread? All the difficult work for cooking is or should be done with the steel vegetable knives made for the purpose, and surely no one would prefer those spiky forks of a bygone day.

## To Protect Silk Hose

EVERY one who wears silk stockings knows how easily they wear out, and one clever girl whose needs do not fit her pocketbook has found that by knitting inside feet of silk thread she can wear them and thus protect her fragile hosiery of silk. These feet are made just so they cover the sole, and extend only slightly over the foot that they may be worn with slippers and yet not be seen. The idea is good, because home-made stockings are of much better quality than are the machine-made varieties, and the girl who originated the idea says that her gossamer hose last just 10 times as long as they did before she wore her home-made linings.

## ORIENT SECRET TELEGRAPHY.

### Strange Power of Communicating News Over Great Distances.

The hope that the movement of troops against the Zakka Khels will prove "a regular surprise" to these erring tribesmen leaves out of account the mystic Oriental power of rapidly and secretly communicating news over vast distances, says the Dundee Advertiser. An instance of this strange faculty was furnished during the Indian frontier expedition against the Waziris in 1895. Seventy-five miles as the crow flies and 120 miles by mountain roads from the base at Sheikh Budin the British troops defeated the Waziris. Heavy mist prevented the news of the success being heliographed until the following day, when, communication being opened up, the British officer at Sheikh Budin anticipated the news of the victory by stating he had been informed of it by natives on the very evening of its occurrence.

The most famous instance of this sort is associated with the assassination of Lord Mayo by a convict in the Andaman Islands. Within a few hours of this murder an English official at Simla was told by his Pathan servant that the Viceroy was dead. Telegrams announcing the news did not arrive until the next day.

How such messages are transmitted is hidden from Europeans, but again and again in India, as also in Egypt during the Sudanese campaigns and in South Africa during the Boer war, the authenticity and speed in such native telegraphy were proved.

"Pa, what happens when railroad cars are telegraphed?" "I suppose the passengers see stars."

## FARM NOTES.

Keep the bearing wood of grape vines as near the main trunk as possible.

The small onions picked from last season's crop may be used as sets this spring.

One-fourth of an acre planted to small fruits and properly cared for will supply an average family throughout the season, but the land must be reasonably rich and kept in good condition by thorough cultivation.

When the lambs are three or four days old, give the sheep more grain, about a quart a day, and be sure to make a place for the lambs to eat, separate from the sheep. Their feed should be of the same kind of grain, and should be kept where the lambs can get it at will.

The draft colt costs no more to sire, drifts into usefulness often at one year old, behaves well and needs no life insurance, pays his board, and does not lead the boys into temptation. He rarely fails to bring a quick sale at a good price a year younger than almost any other type of horse. If you are following this farming for a business, the draft colt is the one you want. If you have plenty of money and don't want any more, you can perhaps afford to breed for fancy.

Geese will eat corn and oats, but feed of a more bulky character is preferred. Their livers are large, proportionately, and they have very large digestive capacity. They prefer grass, especially clover, and some weeds, such as purslane, are delicacies. Ground grain moistened with milk is excellent in the early part of the year, and a little ground meat added is always of advantage. This ground grain may be oats, corn, bran or middlings. Once a day on grain, with scalded clover at night, is sufficient. During favorable seasons turn ducks and geese on grass, and give no other food. Too much grain prevents eggs from hatching.

## EVERYTHING IN PROPORTION.

For many weeks the irritable merchant had been riveled to his bed by typhoid fever. Now he was convalescing. He clamored for something to eat, declaring that he was starving.

"To-morrow you may have something to eat," promised the doctor. The merchant realized that there would be a restraint to his appetite; yet he saw, in a vision, a modest, steaming meal placed at his bedside.

"Here is your dinner," said the nurse next day, as she gave the glowering patient a spoonful of tapioca pudding. "and the doctor emphasizes that everything else you do must be in the same proportion."

Two hours later the nurse had a frantic call from the bed-chamber.

"Nurse," breathed the man, heavily, "I want to do some reading, bring me a postage stamp."

## STRICTLY LOGICAL.

"I guess the business of putting new covers on old books is one which has never more than a temporary depression."

"What makes you think that?"

"Isn't it naturally on the rebound?"

## KNOW OF ONE.

Detective—I never saw your husband, you know, madam. Has he any peculiar features or marks about him?

Deserted Wife—Yes, sir; just above his right ear I think you will find a mark shaped like the corner of a flat-iron.

"Tommy," said the boy's father, sternly, "where are those six apples I left on the table?" "Father," said the boy, "I did not touch one." "Then how is it that there is only one apple left?" demanded the father. "That," replied Tommy, "is the one I didn't touch."

advertisement are to be addressed care of the newspaper office.

The office is situated in the Nikitinska, a shabby enough street, opposite a small theatre. It is a private flat, and its small dimensions—a room over looking the courtyard—seem too big for the table, chair and stove which furnish it. The chair is occupied by a shock-headed youth with long, black hair, intelligent eyes and an odor of greasy sheepskin and stale tobacco. He always says the editor is out, and contributors are invited to leave their offerings on the table, where lie an empty vodka bottle, a tea-stained piece of blotting paper, and a few cigarette ends. In a word, the management of the paper is wrapped in mystery. No one knows where it is printed, least of all the police, who have been on its track since the first number appeared. It comes out once a week and costs five kopecks (about 2½ cents).

The number in which the advertisement referred to above appeared also contains a racy account of

## A JEWEL ROBBERY

committed some time back in Moscow. It is written in vigorous Russian, of which the following is a loose translation. This unknown thief says:

"I wanted to get hold of a very fine pearl and diamond collar priced about 50,000 roubles, which I knew was for sale in one of the best jeweler's shops here. So I dressed up as a general who had lost the use of his right arm in the Japanese war, and taking my chum Nicholas, I rigged him up as my orderly. I don't want to tell you the jeweler's name; but I will say that his wife's name is Natasha, and that he has the way of keeping a lot of money at home—his lives away from his shop—like all our Russians, who would rather put our fortunes in a mattress than a bank.

"Well, I and Nicholas got into one of the best sledges to be had for money in Moscow and drove up to the jeweler's shop. I was dressed in a fine Petersburg cloak, lined with sable, like the best generals in the empire. When I entered the shop, my orderly waited just inside the door looking about with his mouth wide open, and twirling his fur cap in his hands, just like all the orderlies who go shopping behind their generals in Moscow. The jeweler was all smiles when, after buying and paying for some trashy thing worth a couple of roubles, I carelessly asked if he had any pearls, adding that I probably shouldn't buy them that day. Amongst others he brought out

## THE COLLAR I WANTED

is to get hold of, and said it cost 50,000

roubles. I protested that it was too dear for my purse and began looking at cheaper ones. But I came back to the beauty over and over again and the jeweler seeing I wanted the thing, began to bargain.

"At last, after half an hour's haggling, he agreed to let it go for 45,000 roubles cash, if I would take it at once. Of course I said I hadn't so much money on me and didn't care to go home for it. He fell into the trap at once and offered to send a messenger he could trust with a note. I told him, handing the collar the whole time and admiring it, that I could send my orderly, but that my wife would never give him so much money on a verbal message and that, as my right arm was in a sling, I could not write. Then he suggested that he should write at my dictation.

"I dictated, as far as I can remember, these words. My beloved Natasha, give the man who brings this 45,000 roubles, which you will find in the place where I always secure my money. Your Loving Husband, Nicholas, who knew what he was to do with it, went off and while he was gone I talked about the pearls and almost decided on a cheaper collar, so that, by the time he came back with the money, the jeweler was in a fever lest I should not spend that 45,000 roubles, and had the thing packed up with all haste. I paid for it and drove with Nicholas and the collar

## STRAIGHT TO THE STATION.

where we got into the Petersburg train and from there to Berlin. I can guess what a state the jeweler was in when he went home, beaming with joy that he had sold the necklace, till his wife asked him what he wanted with 45,000 roubles that morning.

"Of course Nicholas had given the jeweler's letter to another chum, who looked as respectable as you like, and who gave it to the jeweler's wife. She asked him a few questions, satisfied herself, by his answers, that he had come from her husband's shop and gave him the money. He handed it to Nicholas, who was waiting near, and drove to the shop with it. This is how I got the dearest pearl and diamond collar in Moscow, and paid for it with the jeweler's own money. And it some of the readers of the Bosalska Gazeta have done a better trick, they can tell about it. Perhaps another time I'll tell them how I got the sable-lined general's cloak; but Moscow is getting too hot for me, so I'm going somewhere else for a time."

Even a pavement made of good intentions is slippery.

## Y MEALS FOR A WEEK

boiled salt mackerel with tomato sauce, quick blacic, toast, tea and coffee.

## LUNCHEON.

Savory stew of beef (a left-over), baked potatoes, boiled rice, gingerbread and cheese, tea.

## DINNER.

Clam chowder, veal cutlets, scalloped tomatoes, spinach, cornstarch pudding with hard sauce, black coffee.

## WEDNESDAY

## BREAKFAST.

Fruit, mush and cream, bacon and eggs, popovers, toast, tea and coffee.

## LUNCHEON.

Griddle cakes and sausage, griddle cakes with maple cream and honey for second course, tea.

## DINNER.

Spinach cream soup (a left-over), corned beef, mashed turnips, ladies' cabbage, baked cup oysters, black coffee.

## THURSDAY

## BREAKFAST.

Oranges, hominy and cream, bacon and fried mush, graham gems, toast, tea and coffee.

## LUNCHEON.

Cold corned beef (a left-over), stewed potatoes, cabbage souffe (a left-over), bread and marshmallow pudding, tea.

## DINNER.

Mock turtle bean soup, roast chicken, rice croquettes, string beans, French tomato custard, black coffee.

## FRIDAY

## BREAKFAST.

Oranges, cereal and cream, codfish cakes, corn bread, toast, tea and coffee.

## LUNCHEON.

Corned beef hash, stuffed potatoes, lettuce and string bean salad, crackers and cheese, cake and canned fruit, cocoa.

## DINNER.

Yesterday's soup with addition of tomatoes, oyster pie, fried celery, macaroni with cheese sauce, suet pudding, black coffee.

## SATURDAY

## BREAKFAST.

Baked apples and cream, waffles and syrup, boiled eggs, toast, tea and coffee.

## LUNCHEON.

Omelette aux fines herbes, baked sweet potatoes, baked macaroni (a left-over), cookies and chocolate.

## DINNER.

Julienne soup, chicken and rice scalloped (left-over), Brussels sprouts, navy beans, creamed: Marion Harland compote with cream, mooney cake, black coffee.



## THE GREAT VODKA TRUST

### RUSSIA HAS A MONOPOLY ON THE LIQUOR SALE.

#### Czar Owns All Saloons—Witte's Plan for Revenue Undermines Nation's Manhood.

As the autocrat of Russia the czar is the proprietor of all the saloons in his vast domains. There is no other man to that line, in the old world or the new, who comes anywhere near doing such a gigantic business. It is the biggest trust on earth, with all competition absolutely barred, writes a St. Petersburg correspondent.

The government encourages drink to such an extent that the income derived from the sale of vodka last year exceeded 738,000,000 rubles—more than \$369,000,000.

"Drink kills Russia!" declared M. Tchelyeff, a member of the third duma, to whom Russia owes the publication of these appalling figures. This bold man, who has the dangerous habit of speaking his mind, told the czar's ministers that the budget was built up of poison given to the people, and that what Russia really wants to cure all her ills is not revolution or constitution, but temperance. He would have all the vodka shops in the empire closed. He hurled columns of figures at M. Stolypin at a recent duma sitting, showing that the increase of income to the treasury by the sale of vodka averaged from 200,000,000 to 300,000,000 of rubles a year, and that at the same time the poverty and wretchedness of peasant and workman have increased to an awful extent.

#### GROW FROM BAD TO WORSE.

Things have been growing from bad to worse ever since the year 1893, when Alexander III, the "hero czar," as reactionaries call him, was on the throne. He and his ministers saw that the contents of the treasury were dwindling down in an alarming manner. Oppression, war, and mismanagement had reduced his empire, so rich in resources, to a state verging on bankruptcy. He appealed to his minister of finances, Count Witte, for some way out of the difficulty.

Witte has not gained his high position for nothing. He is one of the cleverest servants the czars, father and son, have ever had. His answer was soon ready.

"The amount of drunkenness in the empire is appalling," he said. "Everybody who keeps a *kabak* (grog shop), adulterates the vodka, and by making it cheap, induces the peasant to drink too much of it. The only way to put a stop to it is for your imperial highness to take the monopoly of the sale into your own hands. The treasury will have enormous profits and the public pure vodka."

All this was doubtless true. The influence of the "*kabak*" was demoralizing, as is the influence of every place where men are encouraged to drink to excess.

#### CZAR'S BAR WORSE THAN OLD.

These old publicans, with their adulterated drinks and their usury were swept away. But the new publican, the czar, has failed to sweep away their abuses, or rather, he has replaced them by worse ones. True, there is no longer any meeting place where the villagers can drink and sing together. The vodka they now drink is purer and sealed in bottles—it is also dearer. But far more of it is drunk. So much more, in fact, that, whereas in the year 1901 the treasury gained a net profit of \$129,840,000 from the sale of vodka, in the year 1905 it had increased to \$257,040,000. And this huge sum is principally drawn from wretched peasants and

## BUILDING THE EMPIRE

### THE NILE-RED-SEA RAILWAY AT PORT SUDAN.

#### Important Results Following on Opening of the Nile to the Red Sea Line.

In January, 1896, writes Sidney Low in the London Standard, Lord Cromer, accompanied by the Governor-General of the Sudan, by a bevy of officials, and by guards of honor of bluejackets, marines, and British and Egyptian infantry, opened the Nile-Red-Sea Railway at Port Sudan.

In January, 1907, Lord Cromer's successor, Sir Eldon Gorst, visiting the same locality, declared himself amazed at the substantial and rapid progress which had been made under the direction of the British officers and officials who control the affairs of the Red Sea province.

Until I went to Port Sudan myself, though I had heard a good deal about it in Khartoum, I had no idea that the development of a great commercial emporium and port of call was being carried out on this remarkable scale. I expected to find a railway station, a few shanties, and an improvised quay or two. I found, instead, imposing wharves and bridges of stone and iron, a range of massive warehouses, cranes and loading machinery, some fine buildings already erected, others in progress; streets, squares, and public gardens planned and partly laid out; a busy population of Greeks, Italians, Levantines, and other Europeans or quasi-Europeans, doing a thriving trade; and many other signs of activity and enterprise.

#### ATTEMPT WAS FAILURE.

There was much discussion as to the Suakin-Berber Railway, and the Suakin-Berber route in 1884, when the relief of Gordon was being considered, and those who knew the country best held that the expedition should have gone that way. Lord Wolseley, for some reason, took a different view, and the Government, at his instance, committed itself to the gigantic boating trip up the Nile.

The mistake was partly acknowledged by its author, who, after the abandonment of Khartoum, formed a half-hearted project to carry the railway from the coast to Berber. A highly expensive equipment of plant, rolling stock, permanent way, and locomotives was ordered at Woolwich and shipped out to Suakin. Vestiges of it may still be seen forlornly rusting in the scrub and desert, for England presently found herself in difficulties with Russia on the Afghan frontiers, and in the war scare the Suakin-Berber Railway was dropped and forgotten for many years. Now in the fulness of time it has been taken up by the engineers of the Sudan Government, and brought to completion.

#### MADE NEW PORT.

Instead of spending vast sums in order to convert Suakin into a port more or less for modern shipping, the Government engineers preferred to deal with one that lay ready to hand. By the tomb of Sheikh Barghut they found a deep inlet from the sea, a splendid natural harbor, which ships can enter at all hours of the day and night, and in which steamers drawing twenty or thirty feet of water can be moored in safety. They christened it Port Sudan, brought the railway there—with a junction and branch line to Suakin—and deliberately set about to prepare the new entrepot for the destinies that await it.

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## DIRECTORY CURIOSITIES

### ODDITIES AMONG NAMES OF LONDON'S POPULATION.

#### The 1908 Directory Has 4,698 Pages and Weighs Nearly Fourteen Pounds.

London, England, keeps on growing and so does its directory, the 1908 edition of which has just made its appearance. The London postoffice directory, it is claimed, is the biggest book published. This 109th edition of it weighs 13½ pounds, is eight inches thick and contains 4,698 pages. One wonders how much longer it will be possible for the publishers to keep pace with the increase of the population of the metropolis and confine the record of it to a single volume.

Like the dictionary the P. O. D. is a book of solid merits. It is full of fascinating facts. For one thing it makes clear why not even the oldest inhabitant ever knows his way over the whole of London. Nearly every street is repeated once at least. Many of their names appear over and over again. There are, for instance, no less than 39 High streets, one borough alone containing five of them within its boundaries. Yet if a letter is addressed to any one in High street, London, without anything to indicate what particular district it is in, the infinitely painstaking postoffice department will, if need be, make 39 attempts to find the correct High street.

#### BEFORE GIVING UP THE JOB.

There are 22 John streets to perplex the inquirer who knows only that the person he seeks lives in one of them. There are fourteen King streets, but they are really evidence of progress in street nomenclature. There used to be 49 of them, but 35 have had to accept less exalted titles. And there used to be 43 Queen streets, of which only 11 remain which is still just ten too many.

But it is its record of names that makes the P. O. D. a veritable storehouse of unique and interesting information. Nowhere else is the fecundity of the Smiths, compared with that of folk bearing other patronyms, so strikingly revealed. There are many pages of them. Taking an average of 90 names to the column there are nearly 3,600 of them which, of course, does not include their families. And this, too, is exclusive of their aristocratic offshoots, the Smyths, Smythes, De Smyths and the hyphenated Smiths. The Joneses are hopelessly outnumbered by the Smiths. Their clan monopolizes a mere score of columns, and even the Browns and the Brownes together can muster only 19½ columns. The Robinsons fill only ten columns.

#### THERE ARE 450 WHITES

and only 34 Blacks. Greys and Greens are fewer still. There are 190 Bells, but only one Peal. Agriculturists will be interested to know there are four Acres and ninety-seven Fields in London, which has also forty-eight Farmers, thirteen Plowmen and three Cows. There are 58 Frosts and five Foggs.

Two columns shelter the Foxes. There are some twelve Jays, 23 Gays, and only one Tear; fifteen Friends are all that can be found in London and eleven Fabians. There are three columns of Cooks and one of Carpenters, and pessimists will note there is at least one Man. Animal names are also to be found, viz.: 65 Bulls, two Bunnys, two Rabbits, and seventeen Capons. There is only one Fatt and there are seven Leans.

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## MOST FAMOUS SWINDLER

### DEATH ENDS A REMARKABLE CAREER OF CRIME.

#### Robberies on Extensive Scale—Marriages and Duels Figured in His Life.

The death is announced at Milan of one of the most famous swindlers in Europe, George Masolescu, Duke of Otranto, and Prince Lahovary, both titles being self-conferred on him. He was a man of extraordinary good looks, a perfect figure, a bright, amiable disposition and all the necessary equipment for the Chevalier l'Industrie. He was born in Roumania forty years ago, the son of an army officer. He ran away from a military academy at Galatz and went to Constantinople. He soon absconded with the pocketbook and the prize beauty of the Pasha's harem. He was arrested across the Greek frontier and attempted suicide. He was taken to a hospital, where the handsome youth attracted the attention of Queen Olga, who was visiting the sick. She procured his release, and gave him money enough to take him home. He left Roumania the second time as a slowaway on a grain steamer, and reached Paris. He soon stole enough to set up a large villa in the fashionable quarter. He drove his own carriage on the Bois de Boulogne and raced his horses at Longchamps. Presently justice overtook him and he was sent to jail.

When he was released from prison, four or five years later, he visited London and Monte Carlo, and went to Canada as the Duke of Otranto. In San Francisco he was the nephew of the Spanish Minister at Washington. Thence he went to Japan, and afterwards to Honolulu, where he fleeced a rich widow.

#### FLEECE A MILLIONAIRE.

From Honolulu he went to Chicago, where he became engaged to the daughter of a millionaire. He returned to London and got eight months at hard labor for stealing jewelry from hotels. After this he went to Brussels, where he rescued a rich Brazilian from a gang of ruffians and escorted him to a hotel, picking his pockets of \$10,000 while on the way. A short visit to Monte Carlo as the Duke of Otranto netted him 200,000 crowns out of a rich Hungarian widow. After serving another sentence in jail for a hotel robbery at Nice, he visited Italy, where he met the Countess Angelica von Konigsbruck, a member of one of the most distinguished Saxon families. Posing as a wealthy Roumanian land-owner, he married her in Genoa.

The marriage was celebrated before a fashionable audience by the Archbishop of Genoa. The bride's large dowry was exhausted during the honeymoon. A child was born to the couple in Switzerland.

#### FURTHER ADVENTURES.

After a duel with the brother of another lady, this adventurer went to America again, and returned to Paris as the Prince Lahovary, bringing with him the proceeds of a jewel robbery in Philadelphia. Subsequently he went to Berlin and proposed to an American lady. Incidentally he ransacked the hotel bedrooms. When the relatives of the lady demanded financial guarantees, the Prince was arrested for a robbery at Genoa. He was tried in Berlin. He shammed insanity and deceived the experts completely, so that he was sent to an asylum. He escaped from this institution after gagging and binding the warden.

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The poorer the men get the more they drink, and the more they drink the less they will work. The large landed proprietors are complaining bitterly of this. In White Russia, where the soil is unusually rich, the peasants are unusually poor and the proprietors have to let whole estates go untilled because they cannot get laborers.

The secret of much of the banditism which is now ranging in Russia is this craving for vodka. Most of the booty is spent on it. Beggars infest the streets of the towns and hang on to the cabs and sledges, worrying and threatening the passengers till they get a few coppers, which are promptly spent in the vodka shops.

#### TEMPERANCE HOUSES DESERTED.

But the temperance houses, instituted by Count Witte to replace the "kubuks," are deserted, though they cost over \$5,000,000 yearly to keep up. They are dull places, providing nothing but bad tea and newspapers; the habits are too ignorant to read. There is some talk of abolishing these expensive, useless places, which cannot possibly pay their way. But no village commune can abolish the local grogshop, though many communes have condemned them as demoralizing in the extreme. They cannot close them without the consent of the state, which is naturally almost impossible to obtain, as one community after another would follow suit and the result would be a great loss to the treasury. Every village, therefore, has this "bottled poison" thrust upon it, and in the large towns the number of the depots is abnormally high.

Several socialistic parties began a crusade by raiding all the vodka shops in the towns, setting fire to the spirits and taking the gains from the till. But more vodka was always forthcoming and strong guards stood outside the shops with bayonets fixed only allowing one customer in at a time.

#### THE REBUKE COURTEOUS.

The use of needlessly strong language has been used in rebuked in a more elaborate manner than in the following letter, which was penned by the manager of a railway company in Madras, and addressed to a European subscriber.

"Dear Sir: It is with extreme regret that I have to bring to your notice that I observed very unprofessional conduct on your part this morning. I allude to the abusive language you used to the drivers and others. This I consider an unwarrantable assumption of my duties and functions, and I may say rights and privileges. Should you wish to abuse any of our employees, I think it will be best to do it in future in regular form, and I beg to point out what I consider this to be. You will please submit to me the form of each wish to use, when, if it meets my approval, I shall refer the same to the directors, and in the course of a few weeks their decision will be known. Perhaps, to save time, it might be as well for you to submit a list of expletives generally in use by you, and I can then at once refer those to which I object to the directors for their decision. But, pending that, you will please understand that all swearing at drivers and others engaged in the traffic arrangements in which you now wish to indulge must be done in writing, and through me. By adopting this course you will perceive how much responsibility you will save yourself, and how very much the business of the company will be expedited and its interests promoted."

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It is all the outcome of conscious design. Everything belonged to the Government, and everything has been done by the Government. The place had not grown, it has been made. It started, as towns do not usually start, with a regular plan and a definite scheme of construction and location.

The engineers and surveyors and land agents of the administration took pencil and compasses and tracing paper in hand, and said: "Here we will have our wharves; here our docks, quays, cranes, warehouses; here our public buildings; here our shops and offices; here our residential quarter; here our main thoroughfares; here our side streets; here our gardens and recreation grounds."

#### GIRL HAS PSYCHIC POWER.

Ethel Hopple Foretells Events About to Happen in Family.

A strange gift is possessed by Ethel Hopple, a 13-year-old girl living with her grandmother, Mrs. Dolly Hopple, in Battle Creek, Mich. She is known as "the girl from whom you cannot keep a secret."

Ethel has a remarkable faculty of knowing everything that her family and friends are thinking about. This she has had since a little girl. She always supposed that all other children had the same psychic power.

At Christmas time Ethel always knows just what presents are coming to her. When her grandmother goes calling, Ethel always tells without failure whether the person to be visited is at home or not. She forecasts every case of illness in the family, can tell whenever company is coming, and before being told that her family had decided to move to Battle Creek knew of the fact.

When talking to strangers, the past and future of their lives comes to Ethel as instantaneous mental pictures, which she interprets. Many interesting instances are told of her prediction of events.

Mrs. Hopple was born in the township of Charleston, Kalamazoo county, and lived on a farm until four years ago, when her family moved to Battle Creek.

#### SOCIETY WOMEN HUNT LIONS.

Enjoyed Rough Camp Life and Fond of Adventures.

The Countess of Sefton, who recently shot her first lion in Abyssinia, is by no means the only society lady who has accomplished this unfeminine feat.

Mrs. Alan Gardner, accompanied by her late husband, explored not only India but the wildest and most remote parts of Africa, including Somaliland, in search of big game, and is one of the very few women living who have hunted both lions and tigers.

Another adventurous sportswoman in society is the Duchess of Somerset, who has not only hunted bears in the Western wilds of America, but perfectly revels in the rough life of camp and is an expert in camp cookery.

Lady Delamere and Lady Hindlip, who are equally daring sports, sight their game among the big game of East Africa.

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There are several Drinkwaters and only one Coffee, 303 Bakers, and only one Roll; 73 Barbers, with only six Poles.

#### 4 SHAVES AND 29 BEARDS.

eight Baths and four Hairs. There are only 33 Batchelors and only three own up to being Old; 256, however claim to be Young. There are only two Plates, and for sportsmen there are only eight Batts and 80 Balls. Ecclesiastical names include 42 Churches, 23 Chappels, and two Sanctuaries. There are 42 Popes, 35 Bishops, 60 Deans, 13 Priests and 26 Deacons.

There are many Kings, but no Queens, few Earls, but more Princes and Dukes.

Not only are there Fish, but also Crabs, Cod, Bass, Pike, and Whiting, as well as 38 Bacons and only one Quarrall.

No novelist now-a-days need take such trouble as Dickens did to find names for his characters. The London postoffice directory offers him an embarrassment of riches from which to pick and choose.

#### SOBER AS THE JUDGE.

Judge Boyd of the Irish bench kept a supply of his favorite "pizen" on the desk before him in an inkstand of peculiar make. When he wanted a sip he took it through a quill pen, while counsel professed entire ignorance of the little manoeuvre.

"Tell the Court truly," he once said to a witness, "were you drunk or sober?"

"Quite sober, my lord," replied the man.

And his counsel added, with a look at the inkpot: "As sober as a judge."

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He next visited the Klondike, after which he returned to Italy, married a rich French woman and settled down to write his memoirs. He was suffering, however, from an incurable disease, and only regretted that he had to leave his "angel of a wife and two pearls of children."

The Countess von Konigsbruck obtained a divorce from him in the Bavarian courts.

#### KING DISLIKES PAINTED FACES.

Displeased at a New Fashion Among Young Women.

It has just come to my knowledge, writes a correspondent, that the King and Queen were rather displeased at the number of women at the last court whose complexions bore obvious signs of artificial color. After several women, including some quite young girls, had passed, the King turned to the Queen, and remarked how astonished he was that the young daughter of a celebrated peer should have come to court with a painted face.

But of recent years this practice has become very general. When it was confined to middle-aged matrons anxious to preserve their fading charms, the King, who has large tolerance in these matters, did not make any remark, but it was easy to see he was shocked at the number of young women at last Friday's court whose faces shone with rouge. It is very probable that some notice may be taken of the matter before the next court.

There will be no gala performance of the opera this year, unless some prominent foreign ruler should decide to visit London at the eleventh hour. Both the Crown Prince and Crown Princess of Germany and the Crown Prince and Crown Princess of Sweden are expected to visit Windsor in the early part of the summer, when small dinner parties will be given in their honor, but they are not likely to come to London.



"HELLO, THERE," cried Gray Cat to Little Bird, who was perched on the maple tree just the length of the bough from his dear, warm nest-home.

"Hello!" answered Little Bird, calling down, with a friendly little chirp. "Meow, meow, you seem to be a nice little creature," continued Gray Cat. "I think I'll invite you to come down and play with me. I know a great many much handsomer and richer little birds who would feel honored by my invitation—but I like you—really, I've taken quite a fancy to you—"

"Have you?" answered Little Bird, chirping in a pleased way and holding himself a bit straighter, the better to show off his fine form and the stylish color of his feathered coat.

"Yes, I have, and I want you very much for a playmate. The day is a fine one and we'll have no end of fun. Come, Little Bird, I'll give you the time of your life!"

"Thank you, thank you," answered Little Bird. "I will come as soon as I ask Mother Bird. It won't take but a moment—"

"No! no!" screamed Gray Cat. "you can't come if you go to that your mother between us two. You can tell her after you come home; that will be time enough."

"But," answered Little Bird, "mother told me I must never fly off without first asking leave—but maybe this once won't hurt."

"Of course not," cried Gray Cat. "I'll take care of you. Come on and hurry up, you can tell her afterward." Little Bird hesitated a minute, his head cocked thoughtfully on one side. He was listening to a tiny voice within him, that kept whispering, "Don't, don't." Suddenly Little Bird cried out, "Go away, Gray Cat! I don't want to play with you! I could not enjoy myself if I was disobeying my mother!" With that, Little Bird hopped back to the nest-home.

"Where have you been?" asked Mother Bird.

"I was talking to Gray Cat," answered Little Bird; "she wanted me to fly down and play with her. She wouldn't let me ask leave; she said I could tell you afterward."

"Little Bird, Little Bird," sobbed Mother Bird. "Gray Cat is a wicked. She only wanted to kill you and eat you for her dinner."

"I'm so glad I minded," sobbed back Little Bird.

"You are a very good child and shall have the fattest worm in the pantry," answered Mother Bird, as she held him very close under her wing.

ELSIE PARISH



## SHIPS AS FAST AS TRAINS

**TERRIFIC SPEEDS ATTAINED BY  
USING OIL FUEL.**

**Great Advantages Secured Through  
New Methods in the British  
Navy.**

The fact that the British destroyer Tartar, recently built by Messrs. Thornycroft, has steamed thirty-seven knots for a run of one mile on her official trials with turbine engines, driven by steam produced by oil fuel, calls attention to the greatly increased speed which is obtained in the modern warship by using oil.

All the new ocean-going class of destroyers, to which the Tartar belongs, burn oil in their furnaces and carry no coal. The weight thus saved enables them to run at a prodigious speed. Four of the class have already been tried, and all have done from 33 to 35½ knots on an official run of six hours, under conditions which are practically those of war and with a strictly limited consumption of oil.

The advantages of oil as a fuel are innumerable, the only disadvantage from the British point of view being that there are no large oil-fields in the British Isles, so that in war our navy would have to rely for its supply of motive force upon

### AN IMPORTED PRODUCT.

The first and greatest advantage is the elimination of the waste weight in coal. Coal when it is burnt leaves a certain amount of ash and clinker, which represents useless weight, and which has from time to time to be removed from the stokehold. With oil there is no such waste material that has to be removed.

A second point is the reduction of labor with oil fuel. Fewer stokers are needed, for all that is required is to turn on the valve which sprays the oil on the furnaces.

Thirdly, oil can be pumped from ship to ship, and can thus be easily transferred at sea in any but rough weather, whereas coaling at sea is extremely difficult and dangerous in anything but a perfect calm.

The one disadvantage of oil is that it does not offer any resistance to a projectile. Coal, when the bunkers are full, will protect the ship's vitals, and this oil fuel never can do.

The way in which the oil burnt is the following: The oil, which is a heavy treacly looking stuff, is sprayed with a current of air through burners, so placed that the jets of flame from them impinge upon fire-bricks in the furnaces of the boilers.

### OIL FUEL AND TORPEDO BOATS.

All that the stoker has to do is to manipulate his feed and burner valves, and the pressure of steam can be maintained with perfect steadiness and ease.

Oil fuel alone is burnt in all the thirty-six torpedo boats which have been recently built, or which are now building, for the British navy. In these vessels it gives excellent results.

In larger ships it has been slowly introduced during the past eight years, and all modern British battleships and armored cruisers carry a supply of oil, in addition to coal.

The oil is usually conveyed in the double-bottoms of the ships, though there is some risk from fire should a ship run aground and have her double-bottoms pierced, as in that case the oil might be carried up to the furnaces in the boiler rooms, which happened in the German battleship Friedrich III.

The Dreadnought carries several hundred tons of oil fuel, and all the King Edward class of battleships 400 tons apiece, while the large new armored cruisers have from 400 to 700 tons each.

# Thirty-Eighth Annual Report TO JANUARY 1st, 1908, OF THE Mutual Life of Canada HEAD OFFICE, - WATERLOO, ONT.

## CASH ACCOUNT

INCOME.	
NET LEDGER ASSETS, December	
31st, 1906 .....	\$ 9,890,477.70
PREMIUMS:	
First year .....	\$ 230,636.63
Renewals .....	1,519,322.77
Annuity .....	3,450.00
	<u>\$1,753,409.40</u>
Less Re-assurance .....	20,367.52
	<u>1,733,041.88</u>
INTEREST .....	509,240.02
PROFIT AND LOSS .....	1,288.25
	<u>\$12,134,047.85</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.	
TO POLICYHOLDERS:	
Death Claims .....	\$317,776.59
Matured Endowments ..	178,785.00
Surrendered Policies ..	92,138.63
Surplus .....	80,805.19
Annuities .....	10,714.93
	<u>\$ 680,220.30</u>
EXPENSES, TAXES, ETC .....	383,981.33
BALANCE NET LEDGER ASSETS,	
December 31st, 1907 .....	11,069,846.23
	<u>\$12,134,047.85</u>

## BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Mortgages .....	\$5,756,070.85	Reserve, 4p.c., 3½p.c. and 3p.c. standard .....	\$10,019,363.80
Debentures and Bonds .....	3,593,965.84	Reserve on lapsed policies on which surrender values are claimable ..	4,171.22
Loans on Policies .....	1,410,130.87	Death Claims unadjusted .....	39,350.00
Premium Obligations .....	22,534.21	Present value of death claims payable in instalments .....	38,506.93
Real Estate (Company's Head Office)	30,875.79	Matured Endowments, unadjusted ..	1,693.45
Cash in Banks .....	280,494.29	Premiums paid in advance .....	12,737.18
Cash at Head Office .....	1,506.19	Due for medical fees and sundry accounts .....	10,936.75
Due and deferred premiums, (net) ..	319,277.97	Credit Ledger Balances .....	25,730.62
Interest due and accrued .....	241,554.91	Surplus, December 31st, 1907 .....	1,503,719.68
	<u>\$11,656,409.92</u>	(Surplus on Government Standard of Valuation \$1,897,358.28.)	
			<u>\$11,656,409.92</u>

Audited and found correct.

J. M. SCULLY, F.C.A.,

Auditor

Waterloo, January 29th, 1908.

GEO. WEGENAST,

Managing Director.

New Business written (gain over 1906, \$1,577,835)	\$7,081,402
Insurance in force (gain over 1906, \$4,179,440)	\$51,091,848
Surplus (gain over 1906, \$300,341)	\$1,503,719

Booklets containing full report of the Annual Report, held March 5th 1908, are being published and will be distributed among Policyholders in due course.

## DAUGHTER'S PROFESSION MILK KEEPS FOR WEEKS

**MAKES A LIVING BY CLIMBING TALL  
CHIMNEYS.**

Steeple Jack Relates Some of His Experiences—Ascended Nelson's Column.

W. Larkins, one of the few professional steeplejacks in England, who recently celebrated his 33rd birthday, has been relating some of his experiences to London papers. He talked lightly of his experiences. "I made my first ascent," said he, "when I was only

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## Shady Dell

SO WET and dreary was it out of doors that Rosalie and Roberta betook themselves upstairs in hopes of finding something with which to pass the time. In the garret Roberta dragged forth from a dusty corner the stereoscope, the two curious glasses of which you looked through at a picture fastened on the other side, and, lo! the view seemed to be real. Then, too, a little wooden hood covered your eyes—a hood that smelt delightfully fragrant and reminded you of the sweet-smelling caskets of sandalwood and cedar your fairy tales told so much about. So you were quite shut off from the outside world, and it didn't take much imagination to make yourself believe you were a part of the scene you were looking at. "Oh, wouldn't I just love to be in front of this pretty fountain!" sighed

ship run aground and have her double-bottoms pierced, as in that case the oil might be carried up to the furnaces in the boiler rooms, which happened in the German battleship Friedrich III.

The Dreadnought carries several hundred tons of oil fuel, and all the King Edward class of battleships 400 tons apiece, while the large new armored cruisers have from 400 to 700 tons each.

#### TO INCREASE SPEED.

If it is desired suddenly to increase speed in one of these battleships or cruisers, the oil fuel is brought into play and sprayed on the furnaces through special burners. In the manoeuvres of 1906, the King Edward class of battleships at once drew away from their pursuers when they turned on their oil fuel.

In the same manoeuvres the big cruiser Duke of Edinburgh turned on her oil jets and made a speed of 23 knots against a head sea. The smoke which she made was dense, but there was no mistaking the almost miraculous effect of the oil.

Tanks for the storage of oil are now being installed at all important British naval bases, and there is every indication that in the near future oil will be more and more used, and will gradually supplant coal as the main fuel for warships.

Most foreign navies, notably the French, German, Russian and Italian, already make large use of it to supplement coal. None of the United States ships carries it, for in this matter America is behind other progressive navies.

#### A WAYSIDE WEDDING.

"One Sunday afternoon," says Elder J. W. Cook, in his recent book, "Forty-five Years a Minister," "as I was travelling along the road, I chanced to meet a young couple who were carrying a bucket of provender to the logs.

"I knew they had been neighbors and sweethearts for years, and as I came up I could see that he was urging her to do something which she bashfully opposed.

"When I reached them, however, she appeared to have been won over, for they dropped their pail, and the young man said:

"Sallie's just said yes, par-on. How'd it do to fine us right where we're at?"

"I suggested perhaps we'd better go into the house, but he seemed to be afraid she would change her mind. So I called a passing horseman—a stranger—to act as witness.

"The bride and bridegroom wiped their hands on their clothes and stood up there, with a field full of hogs for a background, and a wayfarer whom nobody knew as a witness, and were married as safely as in a house of wealth.

"The young man said, 'Thank you,' and kissed his bride. They picked up their bucket and resumed their errand.

"It just happened the girl had been over on a neighborly visit to the young man's folks, and by reason of my appearance at the critical moment the boy was able to sweep away her scruples.

"You see," the elder adds, with humorous appreciation, "in those days preachers were so scarce in the back settlements that whenever one appeared in a community they always expected him to do something."

#### THE TEST.

"A hero I shall wed," said she, "No other shall I choose." He loved her, so his worth to prove He could not well refuse, "Put me to test!" he nobly cried, "For I will do or die!" He did not flinch, but won, when she Brought in her first mince pie.

#### TERRIBLE.

This is a thought that comes to me, And so I must repeat it; When wife gets in a frightful stew, Alas, I cannot eat it.

#### Column.

W. Larkins, one of the few professional steeplejacks in England, who recently celebrated his 33rd birthday, has been relating some of his experiences to London papers. He talked lightly of his experiences. "I made my first ascent," said he, "when I was only seven years of age, and, since then, my life has been one series of promotions—in the air. My father was a steeplejack all his life, and met his death through a fall at Clydemany only two years ago. Personally, I have never had an accident.

"In a short time—I have already got the engagement—I hope to ascend the highest chimney in the world. It is at Messrs. Townsend's works at Port Dundas, near Glasgow, and is more than 500 feet high. The nearest approach to it in England is a chimney at Bolton, the property of Messrs. Dobson and Barlow, which is 360 feet. This is the highest stack in England.

#### TOOK GIRL WITH HIM.

"One of the most interesting ascents I have ever made was at Hereford twelve months ago. Here, by the wish of one of the church-wardens connected with the church, the steeple of which I was repairing, I took up with me his daughter, eighteen years of age.

"The young lady was as cool and self-possessed as if she had been used to such ascents all her life, and, as a matter of fact, demurred when I suggested that for both our sakes it was necessary to descend."

Speaking of the steeplejack industry in general, Mr. Larkins mentioned that there was only two or three of his craft in London. In Lancashire, however, where "chimneys are as common as trees," there are hundreds of experts.

Not one of these has accepted his challenge to climb the greatest height in the least time. He was, he said, quite willing to compete with anybody in the world with regard to the Port Dundas chimney, but the owners decided to give him the work without incurring risks by making it an open competition.

Among other large enterprises on which Mr. Larkins has been engaged, was the renovation of the Nelson column in Trafalgar square two years ago. His description of the statue of

#### THE HERO OF TRAFALGAR

is worth repeating. "The figure itself is 17 feet 4½ inches in height, and it measures 5 feet 3 inches across the shoulders. The sword which hangs by its side is 7 feet 9½ inches long.

"As a matter of fact, there was little wrong with either the column or the figure when I examined them. In the former the rain had caused certain cracks, which were easily repaired with cement, and the arm—the majority of people immediately ask 'which arm?' but, of course, you know it is the left—needed three brass bands to keep it in position.

"So long as the column stands it will need no further repairing, but how long it will stand I cannot tell you. As a matter of fact, I am very doubtful of it. The authorities had no business to allow a railway station to be built at its base. The foundations are none too good, and it would not surprise me to hear of its sudden collapse. It is built of solid granite, and with the repairs we gave it in 1906 it should last for another century without any help, but—here there was a sinister shrug of the shoulders—"you never can tell."

#### INSURMOUNTABLE OBSTACLE.

"If you and your husband can't get along peacefully," said the neighbor to whom Mrs. Pneur was narrating her grievances, "why don't you separate and get a divorce?"

"We have thought of that?" sighed Mrs. Pneur, wiping her eyes, "but legal proceedings are so dreadfully expensive. Mr. Pneur thinks it will be money in our pockets to keep on living to-

#### Impurities.

Steamer milk, that will keep sweet for three weeks is the latest product of the Massachusetts Agricultural College. The new \$40,000 barn is equipped with all necessary appliances for success in this business and for teaching college students and the farmers of the vicinity the methods necessary for the production of pure milk.

No preservatives are used. The milk is not pasteurized. Every means is taken to secure cleanliness and purity. The stable is kept clean and thoroughly ventilated. The floors are cement and the walls and ceiling are plastered with a hard, smooth finish. There are two systems of ventilation. The windows in the rear of the cattle open at the top to secure a draught of fresh air over the heads of the cows. Steam pipes in fules built into the wall create an artificial circulation of pure air. The stanchions are made with smooth surface, so that they will not collect dust.

#### WHEN MILKING IS DONE.

It has been found by experiment that milk drawn from a new milch cow or from one that is about to become dry, contains bacteria which will cause the milk to turn sour. There is a period of several weeks between these two extremes when the relation of butter fat to other solids remains about the same from day to day. Milk drawn in this period will keep sweet much longer than that taken from the cow at other times. Cows at this stage are selected for the production of steamer milk. They are given an abundance of wholesome food and pure water.

Then to secure perfect cleanliness the cow is groomed and thoroughly washed and covered with a white blanket, and her head so fastened in the stanchion that she cannot lie down before the milking. The man who does the milking is a student especially interested in the work. He puts on a white suit and carefully washes his hands and wears white gloves. The gloves collect any particles that friction may lessen from the udder. The milk pail is made of heavy pressed tin without seams and after having been thoroughly washed in boiling water and sterilized in a boiler, has the opening at the top covered with sterilized gauze, through which the milk is strained as it comes from the cow.

#### IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY.

When all is ready an attendant places the stool and hands a pail to the milker. Into this a pint of milk is drawn from each teat. This the attendant removes, since it may contain some bacteria. A second pail is then given to the milker, into which the rest of the milk is drawn. As soon as the milking is ended the milker carries the pail at once into the dairy house and pours it into sterilized bottles, which are standing in ice water. When the animal heat is gone the bottles are closed with sterilized paper tops, which are hermetically sealed with a paraffin wax. The bottles are then racked in crates with shaved ice and are ready for shipment to the steamer.

The value of this method of producing milk as an abject lesson of cleanliness to the average farmer is great. Pure milk will keep for many days, and as food for infants and for invalids it is worth all that it costs.

#### WHY SOME FAIL.

Sometimes when opportunity knocks The shy man hides his head; He thinks a bill collector's sigh— And crawls beneath the bed.

#### PLAYING POSSUM.

She—Jimmy, did you kiss me while I was asleep? James—Well—er—a—I think I did steal one. She—(Indignantly)—One? Why, I counted six before I woke up.

and, lo! the view seemed to be real. Then, too, a little wooden hood covered your eyes—a hood that smelt delightfully fragrant and reminded you of the sweet-smelling casques of sandalwood and cedar your fairy tales told so much about. So you were quite shut off from the outside world, and it didn't take much imagination to make yourself believe you were a part of the scene you were looking at.

"Oh, wouldn't I just love to be in front of this pretty fountain!" sighed Rosalie, with the hood glued to her forehead.

"My dear," laughed Roberts, "you should try that fairy rhyme our latest story book gives:

"Buttercup, daisy and little bluebell, Take me, please take me to cool Shady Dell."

And the very funny part of it all



THEY SAT BY THE FOUNTAIN

was that before they could say Jack Robinson, or John Robinson, or any other Robinson, the twins found themselves before the very fountain of which Rosalie had spoken.

"Why, Rosalie," whispered Roberts, as soon as her surprise would permit her to speak, "this must, indeed, have been Shady Dell, so that the rhyme came out all right."

"Since we're here, we may as well make the best of it," echoed Roberts. So together they tripped about the fairy grounds. Nor can you imagine all the delightful nooks they found. In one place they came upon two nice swings, and, as they were magic swings, all you had to do was to sit in them and they swayed back and forth of their own accord.

"But how are we going to get home



ON THE MAGIC SWINGS

again?" asked Rosalie, when many pleasant hours had swiftly sped.

"Oh," replied Roberts, "don't you remember the other rhyme, which goes like this:

"Now, little flowers, I must say 'Good-day,' 'Tis time I were flitting away, far away."

And before you could say even Robinson the twins were back in the garret. The rain had stopped, the clouds had cleared away and the sun was shining. And the birds were singing almost as cheerily as did the little feathered songsters in Shady Dell.

#### In Point of Politeness.

It was bedtime for Herbert and Grace. The two ventured timidly along the unlighted hallway. When the bottom of the stairs was reached, Herbert stopped. After vainly trying to pierce the darkness which lay before him, he loudly called: "Oh, I say, mother; it isn't polite for men to go first, is it?" "No, dear," came the response from the distance. "Then go ahead, Grace," commanded the much-relieved Herbert, courageously pushing his sister to the fore.

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The regular monthly meeting of the W.C.T.U., will be held in the Board room of the Public Library Tuesday, March 31st, at three o'clock.

L. ANDERSON,  
Rec. Sec.

Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. and Mrs. Miles Sedore in the death of their bright little daughter, Nettie May, which occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kelly, on Friday last. The remains were placed in the Western cemetery vault on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Arthur R. Pickering, Toronto, was arrested by Chief Graham on Tuesday afternoon, being drunk and disorderly. He appeared before Police Magistrate Rankin on Wednesday morning and was assessed \$5 fine and \$4 costs or 21 days in gaol. Pickering was a witness in the Gould abortion case in Toronto and suddenly left that city.

At an executive meeting of the Children's Aid Society, held on Friday, March 20th the following resolution was passed. That the thanks of the Society be extended to the young men who gave the benefit concert: to Mr. Brisco for the use of the Opera House free of charge; to the ladies who sold the tickets; to Chief Graham for his assistance in making the concert a success and to all who helped in any way. The amount realized for the Society was \$71.95.

The Ladies Aid of the Bath Methodist Church are to be congratulated on their very successful entertainment held in the Town Hall, March 13th. The programme was given by local talent and gave evidence of painstaking and thorough preparation on the part of each person and every member was well presented. There was a good variety in the programme, and choice selections of solo duets, quartettes

## Why Worry.

About the advance in Tea when you can get it at the old prices 25c, 35c and 40c. As usual we have been fortunate enough to have had a good stock on hand.

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## Hallelujah Wedding.

A large crowd of people attended the Hallelujah Wedding at the Salvation Army barracks on Tuesday evening, when Mr. Daniel Edmund Sedore was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Miss Charlotte Blakely. Brigadier Hargreave, of Montreal performed the ceremony. The proceedings were opened with Army songs and prayer, after which Mrs. Brigadier Hargreave conducted the bible reading. Then followed the reading of the rules as laid down by the Army concerning marriages performed by them, and the contracting parties being willing to abide by the said rules, the ceremony was proceeded with and the happy couple were soon pronounced man and wife. The happy couple are well known in Napanee and all extend congratulations. Mrs. Hargreave related some of her experiences as an Army Officer, after which a duet by the Brigadier and his wife brought the enjoyable event to a close.

## Brisco Opera House Closed.

Some few days ago Mayor Ming received from Toronto a letter written to the Provincial Authorities in reference to the condition of the Brisco Opera House, and making a number of complaints concerning the said building. The letter was written by some one in Napanee, but was not signed. Mayor Ming reported the matter to Mr. B. Brisco, proprietor of the Hall, and asked him to name a couple of competent gentlemen to have the hall examined. Mr. Brisco named Messrs. W. A. Embury and W. J. Jewell. These gentlemen examined the building on Tuesday and reported it unsafe for use as a public building. Following is their report:

Napanee, March 23rd, 1908.

To HERMAN MING, ESQ.

Mayor of Napanee.

Dear Sir.

In reply to the request to examine the Brisco Opera House, belonging to Benjamin Brisco, situated in the town of Napanee, this is to certify that we William A. Embury and William J. Jewell have duly examined the said Opera House at the request of the said B. Brisco and are consider that the same is not fit for public use.

Signed

W. A. EMBURY.

W. J. JEWELL.

Upon the receipt of the above report Mayor Ming, while unwilling to injure Mr. Brisco in any way, felt that in the public interest it was his duty to order the House closed and the license cancelled.

The above action is but the culmination of a great deal of street talk recently concerning the safety of the Opera House and some action was necessary to either close the house or declare it perfectly safe, and the action of Mayor Ming will relieve the minds of those timid ones who were skeptical of the safety of the house. Mayor Ming regrets the necessity of closing the house and the consequent inconvenience necessitated thereby.

Mr. Brisco is securing information and plans, and if he can secure an exemption from License for a term of years and a reasonable assessment, he will build an entirely new Opera House, up-to-date in every respect. Owing to the action of Mayor Ming, Mr. Brisco was forced to cancel seven engagements for the House.

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The Ladies Musical Club will meet  
this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Town  
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Ald. John Gaskin, one of Kingston's  
foremost citizens, and one of the most  
vigorous Orangemen in Canada, died  
at his residence on Ontario street on  
Saturday evening, after an illness of  
two months.

The members of the degree teams  
of the Local I.O.F. court went to Des-  
eronto on Tuesday eve to pay a fraternal  
visit to the Deseronto Court and as-  
sist in the initiation of about twenty-  
five new members of the Deseronto  
court.

A new lodge of the Independent  
Order of Oddfellows is to be instituted  
in Tamworth on Tuesday evening,  
April 7th. The degree team from  
Argyll Lodge No. 212, will exemplify  
the degree work. A special train over  
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Chas. Whelan, a young man claim-  
ing Watertown as his home, was ar-  
rested by Chief Graham on Saturday,  
trying to draw some money on a bank  
book which he had stolen from an  
hotel in Newburgh, the property of  
Mr. W. D. Drury. At the same time  
he stole a locket and chain belonging  
to the same gentlemen. He appeared  
before the Police Magistrate on Mon-  
day and was sent up for thirty days.

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The Ladies Aid of the Bath Metho-  
dist Church are to be congratulated on  
their very successful entertainment  
held in the Town Hall, March 13th.  
The programme was given by local  
talent and gave evidence of painstaking  
and thorough preparation on the  
part of each person and every member  
was well presented. There was a good  
variety in the programme, and choice  
selections of solos, duets, quartettes,  
recitations, and a well planned play,  
entitled "Pauline's Triumph," closing  
with some fine tableaux. It was a  
great social and financial success, mak-  
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day, at 7.45. Sunday afternoon, 3  
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**Sudden Death at Stella.**

Death came with terrible suddenness  
on Saturday afternoon at four o'clock,  
to William McMaster, an old and much  
respected resident of Stella. Deceased  
was working around his farm as usual  
during the morning, and appeared to  
be in good health. In the afternoon,  
when about to read a book, he was  
taken suddenly ill, and passed away  
before medical aid could be summoned.  
Heart failure was the cause of death.  
Deceased was widely known, and his  
death caused wide-spread regret. He  
was fifty-one years of age and is sur-  
vived by his wife and one son, Roy,  
who lives at home.

**The County Wins.**

Township of Ernesttown vs. County  
of Lennox and Addington.—Applica-  
tion by the Township under Section  
617 A of the Municipal Act, to have  
Floating Bay Bridge, at Parrotts Bay,  
an arm of the Bay of Quinte, about  
five miles east of the village of Bath,  
declared a County Bridge, was heard  
by His Honor Madden on 23rd Decem-  
ber, 1907, and 15th January last, when  
after hearing the evidence and argu-  
ments of Counsel, judgment was re-  
served. Judgment has just been hand-  
ed out dismissing Township's applica-  
tion with costs. W. S. Herrington, K.  
C., and U. M. Wilson, for the Town-  
ship, and W. G. Wilson for the County.

**Elocutionary Contest.**

The silver medal contest held last  
Monday evening in the Sunday School  
hall of Trinity Church, was another  
great success. The large attendance,  
notwithstanding the disagreeable  
weather, was proof of the increasing  
popularity of these contests. The  
judges were Rev. C. W. DeMill, and Rev.  
J. Mears and Mr. U. M. Wilson. Mr.  
Wilson gave the report and announced  
contestant No. 4, Miss Margaret Hall,  
as the winner of the medal. The other  
contestants handled their difficult se-  
lections exceedingly well and should  
not feel the least discouraged. The  
chairman, Rev. W. H. Emsley, pre-  
sented the medal and congratulated  
Miss Hall on her success. A good  
musical programme was provided.  
The Sunday School Orchestra assisted  
by Miss Marie Kimmerly, gave several  
fine numbers, which were enjoyed by  
all. The Superintendent of the con-  
test was Miss Edna French.

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and regrets the necessity of closing  
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the action of Mayor Ming, Mr. Brisco  
was forced to cancel seven engage-  
ments for the House.

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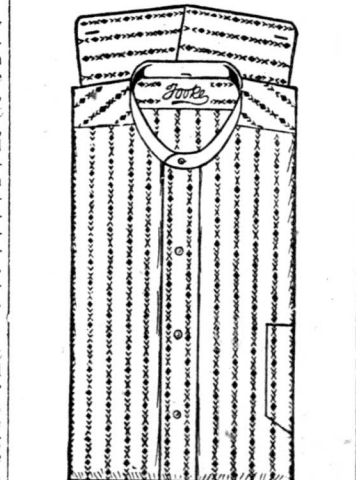
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### THE MONEY QUESTION.

An Inquisitive Youngster and an Ingenious Father.

"Papa," began Gunston junior, "when the government of the United States began to coin gold and silver money it was necessary to buy the gold and silver, wasn't it?"

"Yes, my son," replied Gunston senior rather cautiously.

"Of course," resumed the youngster, "you'll be able to tell me where the government got the money to buy the gold and silver."

"Why—er—of course," stammered Gunston senior as he put down the paper and gazed thoughtfully at the boy.

"Now, let me understand you. The government wanted to coin money, and in order to do so it was necessary to purchase gold and silver. You want to know where the government got the money to buy the gold and silver?"

"That's right," chuckled Gunston junior gleefully, and a great joy filled his being as he thought of his all important sire struggling with the simple question.

"Why, sonny, the government simply issued dollar bills and bought gold and silver with them. Anything else?"

"Yes," said Gunston junior. "Where did the government get money to buy paper for the dollar bills?"

### THE HORSE WON.

Beat the First Locomotive on the B. and O. Road.

The first locomotive on the Baltimore and Ohio had sails attached. So did the cars. These sails were hoisted when the wind was in the right direction so as to help the locomotive.

The rivalry between the railroads using locomotives and those using horses was very bitter. In August, 1830, an actual trial of speed was held between a horse and one of the pioneer locomotives, which did not result in favor of the locomotive. The race was on the Baltimore and Ohio, the locomotive being one built by Peter Cooper, who also acted as engineer.

The horse, a gallant gray, was in the habit of pulling a car on a track parallel to that used by the locomotive. At first the gray had the better of the race, but when he was a quarter of a mile ahead Mr. Cooper succeeded in getting up enough steam to pass the

### PERSONALS

Mr. Clint Rose, of Tamworth, was a visitor in Napanee Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hanley spent a few days this week in Toronto.

Mr. E. J. Roy spent a few days this week in Toronto attending the Auto. Show.

Mrs. E. R. Sills, Richmond, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Davis, Oshawa.

Mr. S. R. Miller spent a few days in Toronto last week attending Grand Lodge A. O. U. W.

Mr. Ed. Grange, of Ottawa, now on the Globe Staff, spent last Sunday at his home in Napanee.

Mr. J. E. Robinson spent a few days this week in New York.

Messrs. R. W. Longmore and Robt. Guy, Camden East, attended the Grand Lodge A. O. U. W. in Toronto last week.

Mrs. Allan Wagar, South River Road, had the misfortune to slip on ice and break her arm, one day last week.

Mr. A. G. Davey, Toronto, is renewing acquaintances at Enterprise.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Blewitt spent a few days in Picton this week attending the Golden Wedding of her sister, Mrs. Andrew Davidson.

Miss Keyes, of Rochester, is the guest of Mrs. Young, Sillsville.

Chief Graham was in Kingston on Monday.

Mrs. Fred Bell, Deseronto, spent a few days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. O'Neill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Richardson arrived home from Indianapolis on Friday. Mrs. Richardson, who was taken seriously ill with an affection of the heart while on her visit, is convalescing nicely.

Mr. Jos. Halpenny, organizer of the I.O.F., who is working in the interests of the order at Deseronto, was a visitor in town on Saturday.

Mr. F. F. Miller was in Toronto this week attending the Auto and Motor show.

Chief Gonn, of Sudbury, was renewing acquaintances in Napanee on Monday.

Mr. W. H. Garrison is in Belleville this week, attending the Hunter and Crosley meetings.

Mr. Mitchell Bogart returned to his ranch at Didsbury, Alberta, last week.

Messrs. L. L. Gallagher and Wellington Babcock, Wilton, were in Napanee on Monday.

Mr. H. M. Deroche, K. C. attended Court in Centreville on Wednesday.

Mr. E. E. Vanalstyne of Messrs. Graham & Vanalstyne, spent last week in Toronto attending Grand Lodge A. O. U. W.

Mr. Clayton Hart left on Wednesday for Qu'Appelle, Sask. to reside with a brother.

Mr. T. D. Creighton left last week for a trip through the west.

Mrs. J. E. Eakins and Mr. H. Warner, of Napanee were in Trenton Saturday and Sunday calling on friends.

Mrs. Frank Wartman and Miss Hattie Wartman, of Colebrooke, were in Napanee Tuesday.

Mr. W. S. Herrington, K. C., was in Belleville Tuesday.

Mr. W. A. Warner, of Trenton, was in Napanee Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ham are visiting in Toronto, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Blain.

Mrs. J. Doyle leaves this week for Olds, Alberta. Mr. Doyle has already started for the same point with a car of stock.

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### A QUAIN DOCUMENT.

Minutes of the First Representative Assembly in America.

The minutes of the first representative assembly in America as written by its clerk, John Twine, constitute a quaint and interesting document. They are headed:

"A report of the manner of proceeding in the general assembly convened at James City, in Virginia, July 30, 1619, consisting of the governor, the council of estate and two burgesses elected out of each incorporation and plantation, and being dissolved the 4th of August next ensuing."

The assembly met in the "quiere of the church." Then, "forasmuch as men's affaires doe little prosper where God's service is neglected, all the burgesses took their places in the quire till a prayer was said by Mr. Buche, the minister, that it would please God to guide and sanctifie all our proceedings to his owne glory and the good of this plantation."

After the prayer the burgesses were summoned one by one to take the oath to the king, "none staggering at it."

The assembly at once set to work to adopt English laws to Virginian conditions. It added a series of trade regulations to restrict the production of tobacco, to keep up prices and to encourage the output of flax, silk and wine.

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"Psychine, 2 teaspoonfuls.

"Sherry, whisky or water, 5 teaspoonfuls.

"Choice of the latter can be made according to the judgment and preference of the patient.

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At that moment a band slipped from a pulley, and, "though Mr. Cooper lacerated his hands trying to replace it, the engine stopped and the horse passed it and came in the winner."

#### The Roman Forum.

The Forum Romanum, the first that was erected in Rome, served equally for the purposes of trade and all public meetings as well as for the administration of justice by the consuls and other Roman magistrates. Later on, when the fora numbered some eighteen or twenty, they were divided into two classes, some for public meetings and the proceedings of the law courts and others for the various requirements of trade. The Roman forum corresponded to the agora, or market place, of the Greeks, and no Roman city was without this important center of judicial, political and commercial life.

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10 bars Judd Soap	25 cents
6 Green Castile	25 cents
1 lb French Castile (Toilet)	10 cents
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Mr. George Hawley left on Wednesday for Winnipeg, Man., after spending the winter with relatives in town.

Mrs. A. McCracken and son Wilfred, of Roblin, spent a few days this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Lasher.

Mrs. Thomas Coates and daughter New York, are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Coates.

His Honor, Judge Madden and Mr. W. S. Herrington, K. C., attended court in Centerville on Wednesday.

Mr. Fred Lapum, of Mexico, sent to Mr. H. Warner a photo post card of himself, and it is a good one.

Mr. M. Ryan, merchant, Newburgh, is in Toronto this week.

Mr. Will Boyle is taking in the automobile show in Toronto this week.

Mr. W. E. Carscadden, Tamworth, was a caller at our office on Thursday.

Mrs. Manley Conger and two children have returned from spending the winter in Syracuse.

Dr. Leonard has been quite ill all week.

Saturday callers:—Messrs. Byron Rose, Strathcona; Alex. Hazlett, Adolphustown; Allan Olliver, Deseronto.

Mr. Will Vanalstine is confined to his home with gripe.

Mrs. T. J. Naylor and daughter, Deseronto, spent Sunday the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Coates.

Miss May Hyatt, Kingston, failed to reach a place in the Montreal Herald contest that would give her the old country trip. She, however, is one of the number who receives the Saguenay trip next June. Quite a number of Napaneeans were interested in Miss Hyatt, and gave her their assistance.

#### MARRIAGES.

McG. YOUREX—HINCH—At the residence of the bride's aunt, Camden East, on Wednesday, March 18th, 1908, Miss Lulu Hinch to John McG. Yourex, M. D., of Wellington. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. F. Dowdell, M. A., Selby.

SEDORE—BLAKELY—At the Salvation Army barracks, on Tuesday evening, March 24th, 1908, by Brigadier Hargrave, Daniel Edmund Sedore, to Charlotte Blakely, both of Napanee.

#### DEATHS.

BOWERMAN—At Napanee, on Thursday morning, March 20th, at the residence of Mr. Frank Bowen, Mrs. Bowerman, mother of Mrs. Frank Bowen.

SEDORE—At the home of Mr. Andrew Kelly, on Friday, March 20th, 1908, Nettie May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Sedore, aged 2 years and 6 months.

#### He Drew.

A very pretty girl had a bashful artist for a sweetheart, but he would never come to the point. One night after he had made a desperate attempt to test her feelings she looked at him in a very significant way.

"What do you mean by that?" he asked, with a startled look.

"Do you profess to be an artist?" she replied evasively.

"Yes."

"Do you think you are a good one?"

"I flatter myself that I am."

"Well, I don't think so."

"Why not?"

"Because you cannot even draw an inference."

He did, though, and now they draw conclusions.

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Thus before the Pilgrims were thinking of leaving Holland representative government was firmly established in the new world.—Exchange.

### FOOLING A CAMEL.

How the Arabs Let the Animal Exhaust Its Bad Temper.

You all have heard stories about the camel—how patient and useful he is on long, hot journeys, so that he is often called the "ship of the desert."

But he has one very bad fault. He likes to "pay back," and if his driver has injured him in any way he will not rest till he has returned the injury.

The Arabs, who wander about the deserts and so use the camel a great deal, know about this fault of his and have a queer way of keeping themselves from getting hurt.

When a driver has made his camel angry, he first runs away out of sight. Then, choosing a place where the camel will soon pass, he throws down some of his clothes and fixes them so that the heap will look like a sleeping man.

Pretty soon along comes the camel and sees the heap. Thinking to himself, "Now I've got him," he pounces on the clothes, shakes them around and tramples all over them. After he is tired of this and has turned away the driver can reappear and ride him away without harm.

Poor silly camel! He has been in what we call "a blind rage," so angry that he can't tell the difference between a man and a heap of clothes.—Mayflower.

#### Hugo and Verdi.

Verdi labored long before he persuaded Victor Hugo, who was vexed that the tragic beauties of his "Le Roi S'Amuse" had been turned into operatic effects, to attend a performance of "Rigoletto." He succeeded at length, and Hugo sat in the box with the composer and listened to the opera. But not a word did he speak. Verdi's impatience got the better of him, and he asked:

"Well, what say you—about the quartet, for instance?"

"Show me a way in which four persons can be permitted to speak simultaneously," replied the poet, "and I will write something more beautiful than your quartet."

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